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## *President Envisions University of Distinction*

# Judson Notes Significant Progress in Past Year

President Horace Judson is looking to the future and said that he envisions Plattsburgh State as a regional university of distinction and that "the foundations of our current course and the dedication of our faculty and staff will fulfill that vision. We will remain a selective and unique institution of choice in the region."

In his annual breakfast address to the faculty Aug. 24, Judson said that this past year has been marked with significant progress and accomplishments in critical areas, which in large measure will determine the future of this institution.

He spoke about the encouraging enrollment numbers for the fall semester, stating that undergraduate applications are up by six percent and deposits up by five percent. Graduate applications have increased 14 percent with deposits up by 20 percent, and international applications are up by 43 percent.

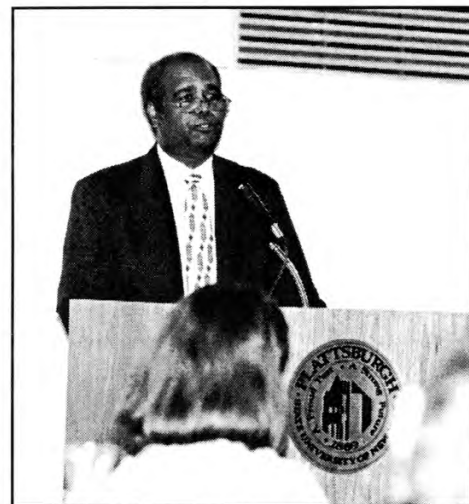
"Just two years ago, we experienced our

10th straight year of decline in student applications. And now, this fall we experienced our second straight year of increases in students applications and student enrollments."

Judson also talked about this year and beyond. "We have tremendous opportunity and potential. Our Middle States self-study design has been approved, our Mission Review document awaits the formal signing by the Chancellor and me, and the strategic-planning process has resulted in five proposals recommended for consideration during this cycle."

The five proposals are: the Adirondack Experience; Form I, which provides a range of budget supplementation across all divisions; software upgrades and a trainer; a performing arts office; and academic programs and teaching faculty that requests major infrastructure support and enhancement for professional development.

Judson said each proposal has been assigned to a senior administrator to be respon-



**President Horace Judson addresses faculty and staff at the annual fall breakfast.**

sible for the continued development and/or implementation.

"In short, while we need more budget planning and implementation details on all

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## *Six Faculty Receive Promotion to Professor*

Six Plattsburgh State faculty members have been promoted to full professorships effective Sept. 1.

Dr. James Coffey of the accounting department, Dr. Stephen Light of the sociology and criminal justice department, Dr. Charles List of the philosophy department, Dr. Tim Palkovic in the theatre department, Dr. Jennifer Scanlon of the women's studies department and Dr. Richard Schnell in the counselor education department all received the promotion.

Coffey started his career at Plattsburgh State as an adjunct faculty member in 1979 and became an assistant

professor in 1981. He was president of the Clinton County Bar Association in 1995 and was elected to membership in the House of Delegates of the New York State Bar Association in 1997.

Light joined the department of sociology at Plattsburgh State in 1990 as an assistant professor. In 1994 he became an associate professor, and in the fall of 1996 he became the chair of the sociology and criminal justice department.

List came to Plattsburgh State from the University of Iowa in 1980 and was appointed assistant professor. He has received several grants and has been honored with an

individual development award as well as a continuing faculty development award.

Palkovic joined the Plattsburgh State faculty in 1972. He has participated in a number of theatre productions around the state including the Sterling Renaissance Festival in Oswego and was a scenic designer for the Westport Depot Theatre in Westport.

Scanlon began her tenure at Plattsburgh State as an assistant professor of women's studies in 1989. She was a Fulbright Foundation Fellow in Trinidad and Tobago in 1998 and was a recipient of

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## Murnane Re-Elected Foundation President

Patrick T. Murnane was re-elected president of the Plattsburgh College Foundation for a fifth consecutive year at the Foundation's annual meeting Aug. 17 at the Valcour Educational Conference Center.

Murnane, president of Murnane Building Contractors, has been a member of the Foundation's board of directors since 1990 and has served previously as second vice president.

The board also re-elected Elizabeth "Betty" Kelly, former president of Holcombe Abstract Corp., first vice president; Roger Forrence of Forrence Orchards, second vice president; Elizabeth Martin, '60, retired school-nurse teacher, secretary; and John Homburger '75, vice president for business affairs at Plattsburgh State, treasurer.

Karen Dickinson, general manager of Georgia Pacific's Plattsburgh facility, and Dr.

James Johnson, professor emeritus of psychology, were elected community directors and will serve three-year terms on the board.

Trent Trahan '70, president and CEO of Champlain Telephone Company and PrimeLink, was appointed to a three-year term as a representative of the Plattsburgh Alumni Association Board of Directors.

Four new members of the Foundation were also named. Carole Slatkin was appointed a community member by the College Council while Daniel Burke '74, president of Evergreen Bank, was appointed an alumni member of the Foundation by the Alumni Association Board of Directors.

Adam McGlynn, president of the Student Association, and Dr. Donald Peters, vice president of student affairs, were appointed to the Foundation by Dr. Horace Judson, college president.

## JOBTRAK.COM to Benefit Students, Alumni

A new opportunity is now available for students at Plattsburgh State University looking for their first job or internship or for alumni seeking expanding employment opportunities.

JOBTRAK.COM has teamed up with the Career and Placement Center at Plattsburgh State to provide a job posting and resume database service accessible to the College's more than 6,000 students and 35,000 alumni 24 hours a day via the Internet.

Unlike other job-listing Websites, JOBTRAK.COM has a password-protected database that can only be accessed by students and alumni of partner schools.

This security allows employers to target their recruitment efforts to Plattsburgh State, as well as other colleges and universities nationwide, assuring them a highly qualified, extremely motivated pool of candidates for employment and internship opportunities. The service is provided free to students and alumni.

"We are excited about partnering with JOBTRAK.COM," said Arthur Tucker, assistant director of the Career and Placement Center.

"Utilizing our JOBTRAK.COM database will give our students many job opportunities, access to more career resources and will make them more marketable for the new millennium."

Connie Ramberg, president of JOBTRAK.COM, said that according to a recent survey by the Student Monitor, "finding a job is the number one concern among college students and recent graduates. We are excited to be working with Plattsburgh State University in providing this valuable service."

In addition to the job listing and resume database, other features of the Plattsburgh State/JOBTRAK.COM system include: JOBTALK Message Boards, where students can post questions to college counselors and employers; the Career Contact Network, which allows students to find mentors in a diverse number of career fields; and the Job Search Guide, which includes tips on everything from how to write a resume to how to negotiate a salary.

Students, alumni and employers interested in JOBTRAK.COM can contact Tucker for password access at 518-564-2071 or by email: arthur.tucker@plattsburgh.edu.

## Sweet Honey in the Rock Performs Friday, Sept. 1



As part of Opening Week, the Grammy Award-winning African American female a cappella ensemble, Sweet Honey in the Rock, will be performing Friday, Sept. 1 at 8 p.m. in E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall. The group has deep musical roots in the sacred music of the black church that includes hymns and gospel and is also influenced by blues and jazz. Tickets are \$20 for general admission; \$15 for senior citizens (60 and older), Plattsburgh State faculty/staff, non-PSU students; and \$5 for PSU students with a valid SA ID. Tickets are available at the PSU Box Office, Myers Fine Arts Building. For reservations, call the Box Office at 564-2283.

## Garrow, Perley Appointed to College Council

Robert Garrow '52 of Morrisonville has been re-appointed chairperson and Suzanne Perley of Essex has been named a member of the College Council at Plattsburgh State University. The appointments were announced recently by Gov. George Pataki.

Garrow, a retired school administrator and Plattsburgh State Sports Hall of Fame inductee, was first appointed to the College Council in 1986. He has served two full terms as chairperson of the College Council and will serve in that capacity through June 30, 2007.

Perley, a small-business consultant and member of the Essex Town Board, will serve on the Council until 2004 in the seat formerly held by Jacqueline Walker of Plattsburgh.

Perley is a director and treasurer of the Willsboro Development Corporation and corporation member of the CVPH Medical Center.

Walker, who officially served on the Council from 1989 to 1997, had remained in that position for the past three years until the governor's recent appointment of Perley.

One position on the College Council is now vacant following the recent resignation of Beth Johnson of Tupper Lake. She has retired as chair of the Department of Math and Science at North Country Community College and plans to leave the North Country. No successor has been announced yet for Johnson's seat on the Council.



# Dr. Donald Peters Named VP for Student Affairs

Dr. Donald C. Peters is the new vice president for student affairs and enrollment management, beginning his new position in early July.

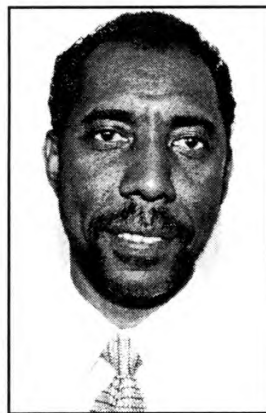
Before coming to Plattsburgh, Peters was the vice president for academic and student affairs at Bermuda College since 1996. He was responsible for providing leadership in planning, organizing and directing all phases of academic, student and related matters at the college. He was also responsible for the faculties of Arts and Sciences, Hotel and Business Administration, Applied Science and Technology, Adult and Continuing Education, Institutional Research and the Division of Student Affairs.

With 17 years of higher-education experience, Peters has worked in various capacities at other colleges and universities.

Prior to his position at Bermuda College, Peters served as vice president for

student affairs/associate provost for enrollment services at Wright State University; vice chancellor for student affairs, University of Mississippi; assistant vice president for student affairs, University of Minnesota; director, Boynton Health Service, University of Minnesota; and director of operations, finance and systems, Health Services, University of Massachusetts.

He has served as a consultant for colleges and other organizations on issues concerning: development of minority recruit-



Peters

ment programs (University of Massachusetts); health care administration and policy development (Ohio State, Macalester College, Tuskegee University, Michigan State); Caribbean politics and socio-economic issues, (World Bank, Center for Achievement, Toronto, Canada); and foreign policy and health care issues, (Government of Dominica).

In his new position at Plattsburgh State, Peters is the chief student affairs officer and provides leadership for the various departments and offices within the Student Affairs division, including Student Life, Student Health Center, University Police, Housing, Career and Placement Center and Admissions.

He is also responsible for the development and implementation of an effective enrollment management plan in close cooperation with all campus divisions.

## New Appointments Around Campus

Plattsburgh State also welcomes new appointees J.W. Wiley, director for the Center for Diversity, Pluralism and Inclusion and Dr. Steven Gras, English as a second language coordinator.

Wiley comes to Plattsburgh State from Cerritos College in Norwalk, Calif., where he was an adjunct professor of philosophy, and Citrus College in Glendora, Calif., where he was an adjunct professor of humanities. He was formerly the assistant dean of academic affairs in the Provost's Office and director of the McNair Scholars Program at Claremont Graduate University in Claremont, Calif.

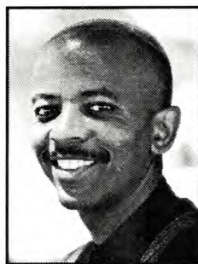
Gras comes to Plattsburgh from Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wis. where he served as director of the ESL Program for the last 17

years. From 1993 to 1996, he also served as assistant chair of the Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures at Marquette.

Earth and Environmental Sciences welcomes its new director and associate professor, Dr. William Ehmann. Ehmann came from Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa where he was the director of the Environ-

management. O'Halloran comes to Plattsburgh State from the University of Denver where he was the director of the Resort and Tourism Management Center in the Daniels College of Business at the University of Denver.

Some familiar faces have also received new appointments for this academic year:



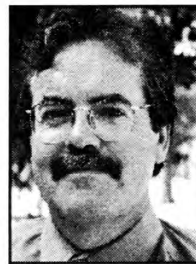
Wiley



Gras



Ehmann



O'Halloran

Larry Cowan joins the Office of Institutional Advancement as director for corporate and athletic giving; Carolyn Delcor is the interim director of the Career and Placement Center; Dr. Virginia Kelly is the chair of the counselor education department; and Dr.

Tony Poveda is the acting chair of sociology and criminal justice, filling in for Dr. Stephen Light who is on sabbatical leave until the spring semester.

mental Science and Policy Program and an assistant professor of biology.

Dr. Robert O'Halloran is the chair and professor of hotel, restaurant and tourism

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the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching in 1996.

Schnell came to Plattsburgh State in 1990 as an assistant professor. He received the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching in 1999. He was the chair of the counselor education department from 1998 to 2000.

Eight other faculty members were pro-

moted to associate professor: Dr. Karen Agne, education; Dr. Isabel Arrendondo, foreign languages and literature; Dr. Robert Christopherson, economics; Dr. James Csipak, marketing and management; David Curry, nursing, food and nutrition; Dr. Priscilla Myers, educational studies and services; Dr. Donald Sligh, biology; and Dr. Mary Roden-Tice, earth and environmental science.

Holly Heller-Ross was promoted to associate librarian and Kevin Houle, of sport and wellness, was promoted to assistant professor.

In addition, two other faculty members were granted continuing appointments: Dr. Kevin O'Neill, marketing and management; and Dr. Douglas Perez, sociology and criminal justice.





**Dr. Daphne Kutzer**, professor of English, recently finished a book, "Empire's Children: Empire and Imperialism in Classic British Children's Books," during a sabbatical leave last year.

**Timothy Myers**, visiting assistant professor in the Center for Educational Studies and Services, has won third place in the L. Ron

Hubbard Writers of the Future Contest, a science-fiction-writing competition that seeks to identify new talent in the field of speculative fiction. His award includes \$500 and a week-long writing workshop in Los Angeles with some of the top writers in the field. Myers' story, "Brother Jubal in the Womb of Silence," about a hermit monk who lives on the moon, will also appear in the contest's annual anthology next year. Additionally, Myers had pieces accepted by

the *Bryant Literary Review*, *Highlights for Children*, *Media Ethics* and the Website for the Chinese University of Hong Kong.

**Dr. Richard Robbins**, professor of anthropology, received the 1999 *Choice Award* for his book, *Global Problems and the Culture of Capitalism*. *Choice* is the publication of the Association of College and Research Libraries. *Global Problems* received the award as outstanding academic title of the year, which *Choice* describes as "truly the best of the best."

**Dr. Jennifer Scanlon**, professor and director of women's studies, has been invited to attend the Sandage Symposium 2000,

*Photography: Manifest Visions/An International Collection*. Highlighting a broad range of well-established names in the photographic world, the black-and-white images contained in this book represent visual genres ranging from "striking images of the figure, landscape and portraits to explorations of mythic and symbolic themes."

**Dr. Janet Worthington**, dean of the Center for Lifelong Learning, has co-authored a book, *More Novels and Plays: Thirty Creative Teaching Guides for Grades 6-12*, with Albert B. Somers, professor emeritus of education at Furman University, Greenville, S.C. The book contains 30 de-



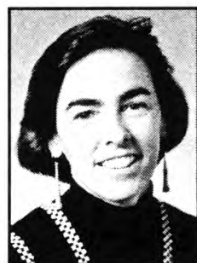
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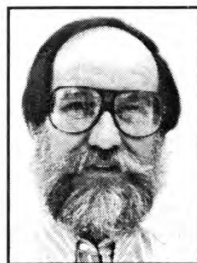
Myers



Robbins



Scanlon



Williams



Worthington

a select gathering of historians specializing in advertising and consumer culture sponsored by the University of Illinois' College of Communications and the Sandage Foundation Sept. 8-10. The purpose of the event is to foster a sense of community and to encourage long-term collaborative relationships among historians working on questions related to American consumer culture.

**Roger Williams**, professor of art, has had his work published in *Black and White*

tailed teaching guides for some of the best literature commonly taught at this grade level. Twenty of the guides are new to this edition and others have been updated with fresh related readings, resources and questions and answers.



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of the proposals, we will move forward meaningfully," said Judson.

One of the president's highest priorities since coming to Plattsburgh State has been professional development. He outlined several actions he has taken toward this development.

"Last year, we spent more than \$655,000 in professional development not including travel. This sum has increased significantly since 1994, but I think we can do more. And we will."

Judson's speech also touched on current concerns on campus. He said that he takes the recent controversy and concerns very seriously.

"I will continue to work closely with all constituent groups and stakeholders in an appropriate non-external public manner to

address issues and concerns, dispel myths, increase effective communications and engage in meaningful dialogues."

Judson said that there are several recommendations under consideration to achieve this, including a senior faculty and staff advisory group to the president, monthly open forums for students, and monthly open meetings with faculty and staff.

In addition, he'll continue to hold his regular meetings with the Senate Executive Committee, the SA President, the UUP Executive Committee and the CSEA Executive Committee.

Judson said he has also met with more than 100 new faculty and staff during the past year in small groups at breakfast and lunch meetings. He plans on expanding these meetings to include senior faculty,

staff and students.

"One major topic will be the concept of shared governance," he said. "We need to discuss decision making, consultation, responsibility and accountability and the differences between them."

In closing, Judson said that Plattsburgh State will continue to recruit and retain intellectually stellar faculty, enhance and further develop a distinctive undergraduate program, heighten our focus on research and renew a sense of community.

Plattsburgh State will be "recognized by students and parents as an institution of choice; respected by scholars and faculty for the quality of our teaching and research; and valued for the distinctiveness of its quality, its institutional accomplishments and its devout alumni."



# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Sept. 1 - Sept. 14, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## **Notes of Interest:**

**Parking Hangs Tags** will be required to be used in all vehicles parking on campus as of Monday, Sept. 4. Faculty and staff who have not acquired their decals yet should pay the required registration fee at the Bursar's Office (First Floor, Kehoe) and bring the receipt and their auto registration card to University Police (Health Center Building) where a tag will be issued. Students need to bring student identification and their auto registration to University Police for their tags. For more information, contact University Police at 564-2022.

### **Friday, Sept. 1**

SOLAR Add/Drop Ends.

**Noon - 6 p.m.** Ultimate Laser Arena, offering the very latest in laser technology, sponsored by the Opening Week Committee. Angell College Center Courtyard (Warren ballrooms in the event of rain.)

**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa meeting of the membership. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**4 p.m. - 8 p.m.** Continuous Recruitment Workshop sponsored by Panhellenic Council and the Office of Campus Life. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Sweet Honey In The Rock Concert, sponsored by the Student Association, CAS, UUP, and the College. Tickets: \$5 SA, \$15 faculty/staff/senior citizens/non-PSU students, \$20 general admission, on sale at the HARTMAN Box Office located in the Myers FA Building, 1st floor. Hawkins Hall, E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

**10 p.m.** Welcome Back Party sponsored by O.W.E. Admission: \$4 SA members, tickets on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**10 p.m.** Welcoming Party sponsored by Club Caribbean. Admission: \$5 for all, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Saturday, Sept. 2**

**10 a.m. - 2 p.m.** Interfraternity Council Goal Setting Workshop sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**11 a.m.** Men's and Women's Cross Country Cardinal Classic. The Women's

begins at 12 noon. Field House.

**Noon - 3 p.m.** Trip to Ausable Chasm sponsored by the Opening Week Committee. Tickets are \$10.00 per person, on sale at the Angell College Center Desk, and includes round trip bus transportation, the walking tour and a 20-minute raft ride through the Chasm. Bus departs from the Angell College Center, Rugar Street pull-off.

**1 p.m.** Panhellenic Goal Setting Workshop sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**1 p.m.** Men's Varsity Soccer Pepsi Classic features Allentown vs. St. Joseph's. Soccer Field, Field House.

**3 p.m.** Men's Varsity Soccer Pepsi Classic features Plattsburgh vs. Johnson State. Soccer Field, Field House.

**4 p.m. - 8 p.m.** Local Sorority Council Goal Setting Workshop sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Sunday, Sept. 3**

**Noon** Men's Varsity Soccer Pepsi Classic continues. Soccer Field, Field House.

**2 p.m.** Men's Varsity Soccer Pepsi Classic championship game. Soccer Field, Field House.

**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies features "The Skulls" sponsored by the Student Association. Admission is free for SA Members (no ticket needed), \$2 faculty/staff — on sale at the Angell Center Information Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### **Monday, Sept. 4**

**2 p.m.** Arts and Science Chairpersons Meeting, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell

Center Meeting Room 8.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10 p.m.** Weekly SA Senate Meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### **Tuesday, Sept. 5**

**Noon** Chi Alpha Bible Study. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**8 p.m.** O.W.E. bi-weekly club meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### **Wednesday, Sept. 6**

**8 a.m.** New Employee Information Session sponsored by Human Resources. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**Noon** Committee on Greek Affairs meeting, sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**7:30 p.m.** Coffee House featuring live music, sponsored by Chi Alpha. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10 p.m.** Weekly SA Executive Council Meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Thursday, Sept. 7**

**7 p.m.** Greek President's Council meeting, sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** The Presidents' Speaker's Series presents David Kaczynski and Marc Klaas — "A Discussion of Difference on the Death Penalty." Sponsored by the Offices



of the Presidents: Student Association, College Auxiliary Services and the College. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.  
**9 p.m.** Club Caribbean weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

#### Friday, Sept. 8

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**7 p.m.** Intersarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

#### Saturday, Sept. 9

**9 a.m.** Residence Hall Council Workshop sponsored by Campus Life, open to members only. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.  
**1 p.m.** Women's Soccer hosts the Pepsi Classic. Plattsburgh State vs. Castleton. Soccer Field, Field House.  
**3 p.m.** Women's Soccer hosts the Pepsi Classic. Southern Vermont vs. Ursinus. Soccer Field, Field House.  
**8 p.m.** Hypnotist Michael Blaine performs live on the Hartman Stage, sponsored by the Office of Campus Life. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

#### Sunday, Sept. 10

**1 p.m.** Women's Soccer Pepsi Classic Consolation Game. Soccer Field, Field House.  
**3 p.m.** Women's Soccer Pepsi Classic Championship Game. Soccer Field, Field House.  
**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies features "Mission Impossible 2" sponsored by the Student Association. Admission is free for SA Members (no ticket needed), \$2 faculty/staff — on sale at the Angell Center Information Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.  
**9:15 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies features "Mission Impossible 2" sponsored by the Student Association. Admission is free for SA Members (no ticket needed), \$2 faculty/staff — on sale at the Angell Center Information Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

#### Monday, Sept. 11

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly

meeting, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**10 p.m.** Weekly SA Senate Meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

#### Tuesday, Sept. 12

**Noon** Chi Alpha Bible Study. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.  
**12:30 p.m.** Music Convocation sponsored by the Music Department. Myers Fine Arts Building, Room 300.  
**4:30 p.m.** Faculty Senate Meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**6 p.m. - 9 p.m.** Teacher's Workshop: "From Colony to Country — Understanding the American Revolution through Music," sponsored by the Center for Teacher Education. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

#### Wednesday, September 13

**8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.** Rockwell Kent Symposium 2000, sponsored by the Plattsburgh State Art Museum. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.  
**9 a.m. - 4 p.m.** Study Abroad Fair sponsored by International Programs. Angell Center Lobby.  
**12:15 p.m.** Order of Omega meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.** Renaissance Music/Hill and Hollow Dance Workshop, sponsored by the Music Department. Myers Fine Arts Building Studio Theatre.  
**4:30 p.m.** New Faculty Reception sponsored by Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.  
**10 p.m.** Weekly SA Executive Council Meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

#### Thursday, Sept. 14

**8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.** Rockwell Kent Symposium 2000, sponsored by the Plattsburgh Art Museum. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.  
**4:30 p.m.** Open Forum with the Provost. John Homburger, vice president for business affairs, will give a presentation

on the Plattsburgh State University budget. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**9 p.m.** Club Caribbean weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### *Fall Focus Schedule*

Sept. 15	Sept. 29
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Nov. 10	Nov. 22
Dec. 8	

### Open Forums with the Provost

Sept. 14 — PSU Budget Presentation, John Homburger  
Plattsburgh Room

Oct. 19 — Strategic Planning, Ed Miller, Cardinal Lounge

Nov. 9 — Middle States, Bob Davis & Pat Higgins, Cardinal Lounge

Dec. 7 — Q&A, Plattsburgh Room

All Forums Start at 4:30 p.m.

### President's Speaker Series Sept. 7: Discussing the Death Penalty



Klaas



Kaczynski

On Thursday, Sept. 7 at 8 p.m. in E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall, the President's Speaker Series starts a new semester with "A Discussion of Difference on the Death Penalty."

Special guest speakers are Marc Klaas, father of 12-year-old Polly Klaas who was murdered in 1993 after being kidnapped from a slumber party, and David Kaczynski, brother of the alleged Unabomber, Ted Kaczynski.

The two speakers will lead a discussion on the death penalty — its effect on crime, violence and society.



## Cardinal Sports Kick Off This Weekend

*Men's/Women's Cross Country and Men's Soccer Host Cardinal Classic*

The fall sports teams will look to mirror last year's outstanding overall season when several teams begin action this week.

On Friday, Sept. 2, the women's volleyball team begins their season on the road at the Oneonta Invitational.

The men's and women's cross-country teams host the 2000 Cardinal Classic at the Field House on Saturday, Sept. 2. The men

sprint into action at 11 a.m. followed by the women at noon. The women's tennis team travels to a neutral site in Canton to play SUNY-rival Oneonta on Sunday, Sept. 3. The matches begin at 10:30 a.m. The men's golf team will open its season at Elmira on Friday, Sept. 8 at 10 a.m. The men's and women's golf teams tee off at St Lawrence on Saturday, Sept. 9 at 2 p.m.

### *Men's Soccer Pepsi Classic Kicks Off Sept. 2-3 at Field House*

The Plattsburgh State men's soccer team looks to avenge the tough overtime loss in last year's Pepsi Classic championship game.

The 2000 Pepsi Classic kicks off on Saturday, Sept. 3, when Allentown takes on

St. Joseph's College at 1 p.m. The Cardinals take to the field at 3 p.m. when they host Johnson State College. On Sunday, Sept. 3, Allentown will face Johnson State at 1 p.m. followed by Plattsburgh State and St. Joseph's at 3 p.m.



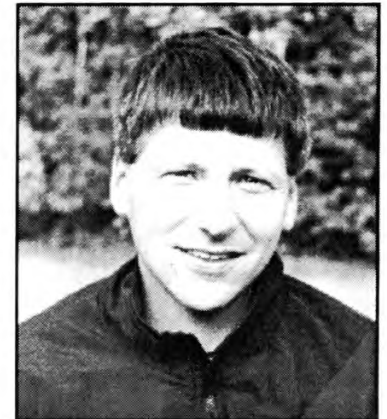
### *Women's Soccer Pepsi Classic set for Sept 9-10*

The Plattsburgh State women's soccer team hosts its home opener with the 2000 Pepsi Classic at the Field House on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 9 and 10.

On Saturday, Sept. 9, the Cardinals face

Castleton College at 12 p.m. followed by Southern Vermont and Ursinus at 2 p.m. The consolation game is scheduled for 12 p.m. on Sunday and the championship game follows at 2 p.m.

## Geoff Spear Returns to Men's Soccer Coaching Staff



Spear

Geoff Spear '85 has returned to his former position as assistant coach on the Plattsburgh State men's soccer team.

Spear was the assistant coach at Plattsburgh under Head Coach Chris Waterbury from 1994 to 1997. For the past three years, Spears was head coach of the men's soccer team and an assistant director of admissions at Paul Smith's College.

Waterbury said Spear brings back a lot of experience to the men's soccer program.

"I am extremely pleased that Geoff has accepted an offer to return to Plattsburgh," said Waterbury. "His past experiences with our program and his experiences as a head coach and an assistant coach, especially at the division one level, will be a tremendous asset to our program."

Spear has more than 12 years of soccer coaching experience at the collegiate level and has coached in all divisions both at NCAA and NJCAA member institutions.

In addition, he has taught numerous classes in health and physical education.

"I am very excited about having the opportunity to join a national quality program such as Plattsburgh," said Spear. "I look forward to an exciting and enjoyable season."



## John Scott Appointed Assistant Coach

Plattsburgh State announces the appointment of John Scott as assistant coach of the women's soccer team.

A graduate of Abertay University in Dundee, Scotland, Scott earned his bachelor's degree in the field of sports coaching and development.

While attending Abertay, Scott completed several courses pertaining to coaching such as sports-coaching theory, sports physiology and sports psychology, circuit and resistance training, and managing and implementing sports development projects.

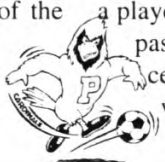
Scott played as a member of the 1990 and 1991 Scottish National Team and as a member of the Liverpool, England Soccer Club from 1991 to 1994.

Along with other international and national playing credentials, Scott recently coached and played for the 1999-00 Buckie Thistle Soccer Club in Scotland.

"I am delighted to be joining the soccer program at Plattsburgh and look forward to teaming up with Karen Wiley, whom I am sure I will learn a lot from," said Scott.

"We are extremely excited to have somebody of John's caliber to assist our soccer team," said Wiley '87, head coach for women's soccer.

"His professional experience both as a player and as a coach, and his obvious passion for the game of soccer, will certainly prove to be beneficial toward our success."





# Middle States Self-Study Design Approved

*Site Visit Scheduled For Oct. 6*

The Middle States Steering Committee has good news to report – the self-study design submitted by the committee to the Middle States Association in June was accepted as “appropriate” for the College.

“We now have the official green light to proceed with our self-study this academic year,” said Dr. Bob Davis, professor of communication disorders and sciences and co-chair of the steering committee.

Dr. Elizabeth Sibolski, executive director of Middle States Commission on Higher Education, is the liaison assigned to Plattsburgh State and will be visiting campus Oct. 6 to meet with the steering committee and other members of the administration, faculty, staff and students. This preliminary site visit is a regular part of the Middle States reaccreditation process.

Plattsburgh State’s Middle States self-study will center on the strategic plan as it provides an overall direction and focused identity for the College community.

“The self-study presents tremendous opportunities for our College,” said Dr. Patricia Higgins, co-chair of the steering committee

and professor of anthropology.

“The committee believes that a structured review and evaluation of the successes that have already been achieved and obstacles preventing progress on our strategic initiatives will provide clear benchmarks and paths to future progress in achieving our

## **Self-Study Objectives:**

1. To demonstrate that the College meets Middle States standards for accreditation.
2. To undertake a critical analysis of the College’s current position with respect to achieving the strategic initiatives.
3. To review and assess the effectiveness of our planning processes.
4. To make the self-study process inclusive and provide an opportunity for open and constructive dialogue concerning the College and its future.
5. To recommend strategies for solving problems and continuing improvements.

initiatives,” said Higgins.

Since the College’s strategic initiatives encompass all areas of the institution’s mission, the steering committee is confident that a focus on these initiatives will adequately address the standards by which the Commission on Higher Education determines an institution’s accreditation.

The nine individual study teams will begin their self-study efforts this month. Each study team will submit a draft report to the steering committee in December and a final report in May 2001. The committee will then draft an overall report, which will be shared with the campus community in the Fall 2001 semester.

Davis and Higgins said that the steering committee greatly appreciates the cooperation of all those associated with this important effort and encourages those with questions regarding the reaccreditation and self-study process to contact them; Davis at 564-7700 or Higgins at 564-2195.

For additional information and periodic updates, visit the Middle States Web page at [www.plattsburgh.edu/acadvp/midstates](http://www.plattsburgh.edu/acadvp/midstates).

## Employees of the Month Given Recognition



Last spring, the Human Resources Department instituted a new program on campus — the Employee Recognition Award.

Faculty and staff nominate their colleagues and the Human Resources Department picks a nomination at random to receive the honor.

Honorees are presented with a certificate of appreciation, along with a gift certificate to Java Jo’s.

In May, Gary Moulden, cleaner, was awarded the inaugural Employee Recognition Award. Burghy was on hand to help present the award (top photo).

Beverly Cross, secretary in the School of Business and Economics, was presented the award for the month of June by Bob Tabor, director of human resources (middle photo).

In July, Carol Bleaux, a senior staff assistant in computing support services, was honored for her hard work by Tabor and Burghy (bottom photo).

To nominate a fellow co-worker, contact human resources at 564-5062.

## Rockwell Kent Symposium

The Plattsburgh State Art Museum will host a two-day symposium on well-known American artist Rockwell Kent Sept. 13 and 14 in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

Ten scholars and Kent enthusiasts from all over the country will come together for “Rockwell Kent Rediscovered: Symposium 2000” to speak about their views of Kent who died in 1971 at the age of 88.

Kent’s artistic ability is honored at Plattsburgh State through the Kent Collection and Art Gallery, which are located in the Benjamin F. Feinberg Library.

The Art Museum will host a public reception at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 13 in the Kent Gallery, Feinberg Library.

A portion of the costs for the symposium is made possible through the generosity of the office of the President, College Auxiliary Services, the Plattsburgh State Art Museum docents and *The Kent Collector* supporters and subscribers.

The symposium is open to the campus community.



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## *First Group of International Law Personnel to Attend Training in May 2001*

### **Human Rights and Law Enforcement Training Program to be Established**

The violation of human rights by law-enforcement personnel does not occur only in third-world countries. It is a worldwide issue even among superpower countries.

President Horace Judson has announced that Plattsburgh State will formally establish the Human Rights and Law Enforcement Training Program.

The Program will educate a core group of international police, leaders, policy makers and educators from around the world on human-rights standards, which have been ratified by the member states of the United Nations.

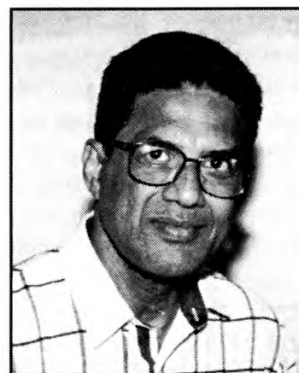
He also announced that initial funding for the program will come from the U.S. Justice Department's International Criminal Investigative Training Assistance Program (ICITAP).

"It is important for countries like the

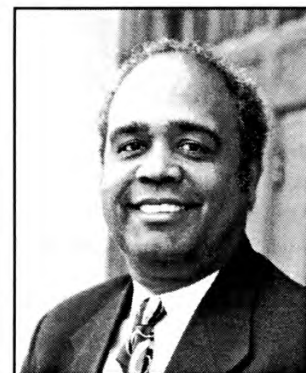
United States to assist other nations of the world in developing democratic societies based on human rights," said Judson. "Today's world is getting smaller, and economic issues are becoming more and more entangled with human-rights violations.

"At Plattsburgh State we promote international issues. It is only right that Plattsburgh establish this human rights program, which will become a beacon for others who will foresee that every person, worldwide, should be treated with equal respect and dignity."

The idea for the program came out of a visit to Vienna, Austria, in July 1999 where



Das



Judson

Judson participated in the inauguration of the "Police Practice and Research: An International Journal," which is edited by Dr. Dilip Das, professor of sociology and criminal justice at Plattsburgh State.

"I had several meaningful conversations (See "Human Rights Program," Page 4)

## **Plattsburgh State Beneficiary of Sally Kent Gorton Estate**

The Plattsburgh College Foundation and the Rockwell Kent Gallery will receive a generous bequest from the estate of Shirley "Sally" Kent Gorton who passed away May 25, 2000 in Lake Placid at the age of 85. Gorton was the widow of famed artist, painter and writer Rockwell Kent.

John Carothers, vice president for institutional advancement and the executive director of the Foundation, said Mrs. Gorton bequeathed two paintings, "Cabin Window, Alaska" and "Gull Rock," along with her prized Greenland figurines to the Rockwell Kent Gallery at Plattsburgh State.

She also stipulated in her will that a collection of books of her late husband be given to the Foundation. Several other works of art, which were produced by Kent, may also be given to the Foundation and placed in the Rockwell Kent Collection.

Carothers also said that once the will is settled, the remainder of her estate will be given to the Plattsburgh College Foundation for the purpose of preserving, enhancing and maintaining the Rockwell Kent Collection.

"We are delighted that Mrs. Gorton, at the end of her days,

chose to continue to support the Rockwell Kent Collection through her will with gifts of her late husband's works and through funds that will endow the collection," commented Carothers.

Edward Brohel, director of the Plattsburgh State Art Museum, said that the college community is just one entity to reap the benefits of Mrs. Gorton's estate.

"The students, community members and especially visitors to the Rockwell Kent Gallery will benefit from Mrs. Gorton's generosity," said Brohel. "It is a great reward to be able to demonstrate to the world Rockwell Kent's artistic ability as a painter and writer."

The Kent Collection and Art Gallery are recognized around the world as a magnificent tribute to Rockwell Kent and as a major repository of the late artist's work.

Gorton, who was married to the internationally recognized artist for 31 years until his death in 1971, gifted the Art Museum in late 1974 a representative collection of works of art by her late first husband. (See "Kent Gorton Estate," Page 2)



# Historic McClellan Maps to be Preserved

## Special Collections Receives Grants

Special Collections in Feinberg Library has been awarded a \$2,693 grant from the New York State Discretionary Grant Program for Conservation and Preservation of Library Research Materials to preserve and make accessible 600 maps, plans and drawings in the McClellan Map Collection.

Wayne Miller, Special Collections librarian, said the maps are part of a large collection amassed by three generations of the McClellan family who were interested in regional history. The collection was donated to Special Collections in 1992 after having been previously in the possession of the Clinton County Historical Society.

The subjects of the maps include railroads, iron mines and other early industrial sites, Revolutionary and War of 1812 battles,

New York state in the 1840s and plans of a few inventions including what may be the first modern bobsled. Work on preserving the maps and drawings is underway and is expected to be completed by spring 2001.

The historical significance of the McClellan Map Collection surfaced when Plattsburgh City Clerk Keith Herkalo announced during the recent Battle of Plattsburgh Commemoration Weekend that he had located the site of the 1812 American Army encampment along the Saranac River, set up by Col. Zebulon Pike. Herkalo attributed some of his research in locating the exact location of the cantonment to the McClellan Map Collection.

Miller said that pinpointing the exact location of Pike's 1812 encampment may be one of the more interesting facts he expects to turn up as the result of another and much larger grant announced earlier this year.

An \$18,000 archival digital scanner has been purchased and installed in Special Collections as part of a \$443,000 grant to the Champlain Valley Educational Services from the New York State Education Department, Office of Technology.

The grant is for a public/private partnership project to integrate technology into teaching, learning and information access and incorporate the use of primary historical materials in the classroom.

Miller said that the new scanner would enhance preservation activities as well as patron access to rare and unique materials.

"More schools, groups and individuals now have access to the McClellan Maps Collection via the Internet. The maps were recently scanned and are now available for everyone's use on our Website," Miller said. "The maps may unlock other secrets to our historical past."

## SubConnections Opens



Adam McGlynn, president of the Student Association, (second from right) cuts the ribbon Monday, Sept. 11 officially opening the new SubConnection substation next to The Point Snack Bar in Angell College Center. Cheryl Hogle, interim executive director of CAS, Dan Brewer, manager of retail operations in Angell College Center, and Patrick Spellman, food manager for Sodexo Marriott, help hold the ribbon. Customer traffic at the substation has steadily increased each week since opening Aug. 28. Beginning in October, SubConnection will offer bagel sandwiches and a special sub of the month.

## College Council Meets Sept. 21

The College Council will hold its next scheduled meeting Thursday, Sept. 21, at 4 p.m. in the Alumni Conference Room, Hawkins Hall.

The first recipient of the \$1,000 Melissa Lahtinen Penfield Fellowship will be announced at the meeting. The fellowship was established earlier this year in memory and honor of Lahtinen Penfield who passed away Nov. 17, 1999 following a lifelong battle with cystic fibrosis. She received her master's degree from Plattsburgh State in 1991.

Council members will learn about the College's agreement with JOBTRAK.COM, an Internet-based job posting and resume database service accessible to the College's more than 6,000 students and 35,000 alumni.

Members will also hear a report about this fall's upcoming reserved seating campaign for Cardinal hockey games at the Stafford Ice Arena.

A tour of the new computer lab and classroom in Feinberg Library and visit to the recently redesigned Amite Plaza are also on tap for the meeting.

The College Council meeting is open to the public.

## Kent Gorton Estate (Continued from Page 1)

Four years later, the Rockwell Kent Gallery was officially dedicated and is home to a collection of paintings, prints, original drawings, books and other works, which were donated by Gorton during the past 20 years.

Brohel said that with the enhanced collection and endowment, the College would review its mission in relationship to the significance of Kent, his work and his varied art productions.



# Plattsburgh State Named in "U.S. News" College Guide

Plattsburgh State has once again scored high marks in the college rankings in the most recent annual college guide issued by "U.S. News and World Report."

President Horace Judson said Plattsburgh was ranked in Tier Two of northern universities in the 2000 college guide. He said the university was joined by eight other SUNY colleges and the four university centers in the annual listing.

"Our annual placement in this guide is testament that Platts-

burgh State is one of the premier public higher educational institutions in the nation," said Judson.

"We're extremely proud of the fact that so many of our campuses consistently do so very well in several of these independent rankings," said State University of New York Chancellor Robert King. "And (the fact) that our campuses appear in so many different categories testifies to the depth and breadth of the academic excellence of the State University."

## Quebec's Quiet Revolution Focus of Sept. 29-30 Canadian Study Symposium

The Center for the Study of Canada will host the "Samuel de Champlain Symposium 2000" Sept. 29 and 30 in the Cardinal Lounge at the Angell College Center.

The symposium, "The Quiet Revolution in Quebec: Looking Back After 40 Years," focuses on Quebec's transformations of the 1960s and the process of rapid economic, social and political modernization crucial to understanding Quebec today.

In June 1960, a new Quebec provincial Liberal government was elected to replace the National Union administration, in power since 1944. This launched a series of transformations of Quebec society, which in a relatively short period of time enabled Quebec to catch up with standards and practices prevalent in the rest of North America. These transformations included civil service reform, education and health reform, promotion of the French language and economic

development. The changes gave rise to the birth of a new Quebecois nationalism and the formation of a Quebec sovereignty movement.

During the symposium, specialists, informed observers and key players who were involved in many of the changes that defined the Quiet Revolution will exchange analyses, opinions and ideas concerning this momentous period in the history of both Quebec and Canada. Participants will come from Europe, the United States and Canada and will bring a variety of perspectives that will make for interesting discussions.

The registration fee is \$65 and includes lunch both days at the Center for the Study of Canada and a dinner at the Valcour Educational Conference Center on Lake Champlain Sept. 29. For more information, contact Dr. Donald Cuccioletta at -564-2226 or Dr. Martin Lubin at 564-5828.

*Visual Artist, Painter*

## Tom Krumpak to Speak Sept. 18

The fall 2000 Visual Artist Series kicks off with a slide lecture by Tom Krumpak, a multi-faceted artist, painter, lecturer, curator and educator, Monday, Sept. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

The presentation, "Cool, Calm and Loco: New Los Angeles Art," is a travel log of galleries and artists' neighborhoods throughout Los Angeles using paintings, drawings and photographs.

Krumpak, who's work has been exhibited throughout the United States, Britain, Korea and Spain, is currently a professor of painting and drawing at California State University-Long Beach. He has also taught on the east and west coasts of the United States and in Italy and England.

The Visual Artist Series is sponsored by the S.A. through the Campus Arts Council. The lecture is open to the public.

### New Full-Time Academic Employees — Fall 2000

Norman Taber  
Assistant Professor, Art

Craig Hoag  
Assistant Professor, Chemistry

Timothy Clukey  
Assistant Professor, Communications

Jonathan Slater  
Assistant Professor, Communications

Mei-Yin Wu  
Assistant Professor, Earth & Environ.

Elaine Ostry  
Assistant Professor, English

Jose Torres-Padilla  
Associate Professor, English

Tracie Guzzio  
Assistant Professor, English

Hugh Wilson  
Assistant Professor, English

Jean Ouedraogo  
Assistant Professor, For. Lang. & Lit

Richard Davies  
Assistant Professor, Music

Herbert Jones  
Assistant Professor, Minority Studies

Stephanie Mansfield  
Assistant Professor, Psychology

James Hale  
Assistant Professor, Psychology

Yonpae Park  
Assistant Professor, Accounting

Timothy Karash  
Assistant Professor, Education

Changnam Lee  
Assistant Professor, Education

Patricia Schick  
Assistant Professor, Education

Paul Bardis  
Assistant Professor, Education

Marilyn Nelson  
Assistant Professor, Education

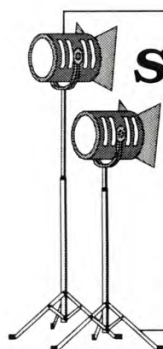
Robert Ackland  
Assistant Professor, Education

Dale Payment  
Assistant Professor, Nurs., Food & Nutr.

Joanne Gleeson-Krieg  
Assistant Professor, Nurs., Food & Nutr.

Margaretha Wilcke  
Assistant Professor, Social Work





## SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Mohamed Djerdour  
Rhonda Machain-Banker  
Michael Miranda  
Dr. Faten Moussa  
Dr. Samuel Northshield  
Dr. Mary Roden-Tice

**Dr. Mohamed Djerdour**, associate professor of management and marketing, received an honorable mention in the Product and Operations Management Division of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada annual conference July 8-11 in Montreal for his paper, "An Exploratory Study of Quality in the Manufacturing Sector of a Small Developing Country."



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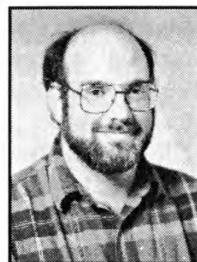
Machain-Banker



Miranda



Moussa



Northshield



Roden-Tice

**Rhonda Machain-Banker**, a senior adult student in English literature, has been named the Outstanding Adult Student in Region II by the Continuing Education Association of New York. Banker received a \$100 cash award. She was nominated for this award by Dr. Daphne Kutzer, professor of English, on the basis of having experienced significant life, career or educational change as a result of the program.

tatives from Division III on the 13-member committee.

**Dr. Faten Moussa**, associate professor of management and marketing, has received the "Best Track Paper Award" for the organizational behavior/organizational theory/organizational development track of the Southern Management Association meeting being held Nov. 7-10 in Orlando, Fla., for her paper, "The Interactive Effects of Self-Esteem, Monetary Incentives, and

in July.

**Dr. Mary Roden-Tice**, assistant professor in the Center for Earth and Environmental Science, recently published an article, "Evidence for Differential Unroofing in the Adirondack Mountains, New York State, Determined by Apatite Fission-Track Thermochronology," in the *Journal of Geology*, 2000, Vol. 108.

**Ian Schofield '98** served as co-author of the piece.



## Human Rights Program (Continued from Page 1)

with Austrian police leaders, the chief of Europol and officials of the United Nations Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Division. These encounters convinced me that there is a need for proper and thorough education for police, policymakers, leaders and educators on universal standards of human rights," said Judson. "I knew at that time that Plattsburgh State could be key in the promotion of human rights, here in America and around the world."

Judson assigned Das, a long-standing human rights consultant to the United Nations, to develop plans for the program. He also recommended that emphasis be placed on establishing a curriculum on developing policing and investigatory practices in human-rights violations.

As a result of many meetings by Judson,

Das and officials from the U.N. and other countries, the program will formally hosts its first two-week session during May 2001 for approximately 30 law-enforcement professionals from around the world.

Das said that internationally reputed human-rights personnel, including several criminal-justice professors at Plattsburgh State, would educate the selected students on international human-rights standards.

"Once these law-enforcement professionals are trained, they can then go back to their countries and begin implementing these standards of human rights," said Das.

"We know that human-rights violations will not cease overnight. However, the program will formally and slowly begin changing the ideas of people who have been put in place to protect the rights of others. We

need to start someplace, and Plattsburgh State can be instrumental in promoting human-rights issues in today's world."

Support for the program is growing. Judson has received support from the U.N. High Commissioner for Human Rights, the chief of U.N. Civilian Police, the secretary general of Interpol, ICITAP and numerous other international organizations.

In a letter to Judson, Patrick Lang, director of ICITAP, said that a number of individuals from ICITAP's various country programs would attend the first course. He added that his agency would also provide financial support to co-sponsor and facilitate the development of the program.

Lang is scheduled to meet Judson and others Sept. 26 at Plattsburgh State to further discuss the program.



# focus ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Sept. 15 - Sept. 28, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## Notes of Interest:

**Counseling Services Clinic Support Groups:** A Gays and Lesbians Support Group will meet Mondays (when College is in session) from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in the Amnesty Room, Angell College Center. An Eating Disorders Support Group, for individuals who have had some sort of treatment for an eating disorder, will meet Tuesdays (when College is in session) 4-5:30 p.m. in Ward Hall, Room 104. The support groups are free. For more info on the support groups or other services offered by the Clinic, contact Dr. Donald Haight, 564-4180.

### Friday, Sept. 15

**4 p.m.** Women's Soccer vs. New Paltz. Soccer Field, Field House.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Women's Volleyball vs. Green Mountain. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Theatre Sports Preliminaries—improvisation coached by Ken Roberts and Tim Palkovic. Myers Fine Arts Building Studio Theatre.

**10 p.m.** Party sponsored by AKEBA. Tickets: \$3 SA Members, on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Saturday, Sept. 16

**11 a.m.** Women's Volleyball vs. Oswego. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**1 p.m.** Women's Tennis vs. Oswego. Field House Courts.

**1 p.m.** Women's Soccer vs. Oneonta. Soccer Field, Field House.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell College Center Meeting Room 1.

**11 p.m.** Salsa Rengue, sponsored by El Pueblo. Tickets: \$3 SA Members, on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Sunday, Sept. 17

**1 - 4 p.m.** "Terry Fox Run" for Cancer Research, sponsored by Club Canada. Field House.

**2 p.m.** Club International Board meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 2.

**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies presents "Road Trip," sponsored by the Student Association. Free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff, tickets on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**9:15 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies presents "Road Trip," sponsored by the Student Association. Free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff, tickets on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### Monday, Sept. 18

**4 p.m.** Gays and Lesbians Support Group sponsored by Counseling Services Clinic. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Greek Leadership Series Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**7:30 p.m.** Visual Artist Series sponsored by the Campus Arts Council. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-Enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Tuesday, Sept. 19

**12 - 1:30 p.m.** Learn to Learn Workshop Series sponsored by the Clark Learning Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**1 p.m.** Counselor Education Internship Supervisors Seminar, sponsored by the Counselor Education Department, open to members only. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Eating Disorders Support Group sponsored by Counseling Services Clinic. Ward Hall, Room 104.

**4:30 p.m.** Tuesday Reflections presents Dr. Mark Cohen speaking on "Morality: Short Remarks and A Long Discussion," sponsored by the Office of the Dean of Arts and Science. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Women's Volleyball vs. St. Michael's. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**8:30 p.m.** O.W.E. bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### Wednesday, Sept. 20

**4 p.m.** Learn to Learn Workshop Series sponsored by the Clark Learning Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**6:30 p.m.** "We Were There" — Multi Media Women's Labor History Show, sponsored by the Women's Studies Program. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**7 p.m.** Chi Alpha weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 2.

**7 p.m.** Learning to Learn Seminar Series sponsored by the Claude J. Clark Learning Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Thursday, Sept. 21

**12:15 - 1 p.m.** New Member Peer Pressure Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**12:25 - 1:15 p.m.** The Women's Studies Forum presents: "We Were There." Join the originators of this multimedia women's labor history project as they discuss the origin and development of this unique and exciting program. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** College Council Meeting Alumni Conference Room, Hawkins Hall.

**4:30 p.m.** New Faculty Orientation Session sponsored by the Provost's Office. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**7 p.m.** Sportsmans Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 3.

**7:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**9 p.m.** IFC weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**9 p.m.** Club Caribbean weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### Friday, Sept. 22 (Family Weekend)

**4 p.m.** Men's Soccer vs. Cortland. Soccer Field, Field House.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Championship Theatre Sports Matches. All seats \$1.00. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.



**7 p.m.** Chemistry Magic Show, presented by Dr. Sandwick and his team of chemistry students, sponsored by the Family Weekend Committee. Hudson Hall, Forbes Lecture Hall.

**8 p.m.** Open Mic at Java Jo's, sponsored by the Family Weekend Committee. Angell College Center, Java Jo's Cafe.

### Saturday, Sept. 23 (Family Weekend)

**12 p.m.** Women's Tennis vs. Green Mountain. Field House Courts.

**1 p.m.** Men's Soccer vs. Oswego. Soccer Field, Field House.

**1:30 p.m.** Guided Tour of the Art Museum, beginning in the Burke Gallery, sponsored by the Family Weekend Committee. Myers Fine Arts Building.

**2 p.m.** Championship Theatre Sports Matches. All seats \$1.00. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**4 p.m.** Phi Eta Sigma Induction Ceremony. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell College Center Meeting Room 1.

**8:30 p.m.** An Evening of Jazz with Loston Harris, sponsored by the Family Weekend Committee. Flynt Commons, Angell College Center.

### Sunday, Sept. 24 (Family Weekend)

**10 a.m.** President's Breakfast Buffet, sponsored by the Family Weekend Committee. \$7.30 per person, \$3.65 for children 6 and under — reservations required through the Campus Life Office. Angell College Center, Warren Ballrooms.

**2 p.m.** Club International Board meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 2.

**6-7 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies presents "U-571," sponsored by the Student Association. Free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff, tickets on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**9:15 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies presents "U-571," sponsored by the Student Association. Free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff, tickets on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### Monday, Sept. 25

**4 p.m.** Gays and Lesbians Support Group sponsored by Counseling Services Clinic. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4:30 p.m.** Presentation: "What Can You Do With a Degree in Women's Studies," sponsored by the Women's Studies Program. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** El Pueblo bi-weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 1.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10:15 p.m.** Student Association Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### Tuesday, Sept. 26

**12 - 1:30 p.m.** Learn to Learn Workshop Series sponsored by the Clark Learning Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Eating Disorders Support Group sponsored by Counseling Services Clinic. Ward Hall, Room 104.

**4:30 p.m.** New Faculty Orientation Session sponsored by the Provost's Office. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4:30 p.m.** Faculty Senate Executive Committee meeting, open to members only. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 8.

**7 p.m.** Cardinal Booster Club Campaign Kick-Off Event. Angell College Center, Warren Ballroom B.

### Wednesday, Sept. 27

**10 a.m. - 2 p.m.** US Marine Corps Information Table sponsored by the Career and Placement Center. Angell College Center Lobby.

**12 p.m.** Multicultural Clubs President's meeting, open to members only, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**4 - 5:30 p.m.** Learn to Learn Workshop Series sponsored by the Clark Learning Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Chi Alpha weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 2.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Thursday, Sept. 28

**12:15 - 1 p.m.** New Member Peer Pressure Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**12:25 - 1:15 p.m.** The Women's Studies Forum presents: "Drawing Conclusions: Editorials Cartoonists Consider Hillary Rodham Clinton." View this film and join director Elaine Miller for a discussion of the ways that cartoonists depict Hillary Rodham Clinton. Launch the 2000 election season with the Women's Studies Forum. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Guest Speaker sponsored by the History Department. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsmans Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 3.

**7 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**7:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Guest Speaker Geoff Tabin, mountaineer and author of "Blind Corners," sponsored by the Adirondack Experience Program. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**9 p.m.** Club Caribbean weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**9 p.m.** IFC weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

Dr. Alan Goldberg, a national leader in counselor education from Syracuse University and president of the New York Counseling Association, will be the guest speaker at the Sept. 21 "Celebrate Counseling 2000" meeting of the Northeastern New York Counseling Association.

The meeting will be held at the Valcour Educational Conference Center, Route 9 south of Plattsburgh, from 3 to 6 p.m., and Goldberg will speak at 4:15 p.m. on "Future Challenges for the Counseling Profession."

His discussion is being sponsored by NENYCA and the Counselor Education Department at Plattsburgh State.

NENYCA serves school counselors, community, substance abuse, career and corrections counselors and student affairs professionals in Clinton and Essex counties.

All area practicing and retired counselors and counseling students are invited to attend. For more information, contact Dr. Richard Schnell, president of NENYCA at Ext.4179.

## Important Dates to Remember For Nov. 7 General Election

### Voter Registration in New York

- Oct. 13 — Final day to register to vote
- Oct. 18 — Last day to change address of registration
- Nov. 6 — Final day to apply in person for absentee ballot
- Last day to postmark absentee ballot
- Nov. 7 — General Election (6 a.m. - 9 p.m.)

You must be a resident of the election district at 30 days prior to the general election. For more information, contact Clinton County Board of Elections, 565-4740. Voter registration forms and applications for absentee ballots are available in the Community/Government Relations Office, 113 E. Hawkins Hall, or by calling Ext. 3099.



## Pat Shea, Amy Tolosky Named Players of the Week

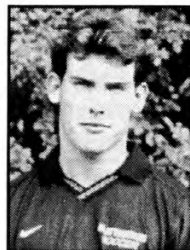
Freshmen **Pat Shea** of the men's soccer team and junior **Amy Tolosky** of the women's cross country team were named Plattsburgh State's Athletes of the Week for the period ending Sept. 3.

Shea earned this week's honor for his performance in the Pepsi Cardinal Classic and helping the Cardinals claim the championship. Shea scored one goal in Saturday's game against Johnson State and scored two goals in the final contest on Sunday against St. Joseph's College. Shea was selected as the tournament's most valuable offensive player.

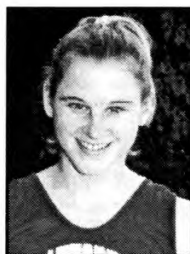
"Pat did a great job starting one game and coming off the bench in the second game," said Head Coach Chris Waterbury. "He gave us a tremendous boost in the penalty area."

Tolosky earned this week's honor for her performance in the Cardinal Classic. Tolosky finished second in the event with a time of 19:25, just four seconds behind All-American Kelly Duffy. Overall, Tolosky helped to pace the Cardinals to a first-place finish in a field of seven teams.

"This was a big breakthrough race for Amy," said Head Coach Scott Slade. "She is going to have a great year."



Shea



Tolosky

## Payne Named Assistant X-Country/Track Coach

Duncan Payne has been appointed assistant cross-country and track coach.

For the past three years, Payne had been a part-time assistant coach in track and field at Plattsburgh State and an adjunct lecturer in American Sign Language at the College.

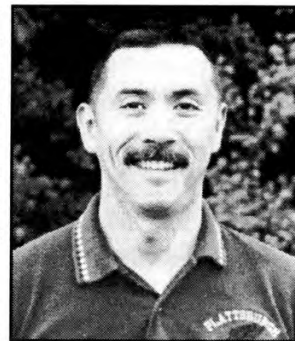
Payne received his bachelor's degree in physical education and health along with secondary education from Gallaudet College in Washington D.C. in 1986 and completed his master's degree in sports science and sport coaching management from the United States Sports Academy in 1988.

Payne was a member of the Gallaudet College Varsity NCAA Division III track and field team from 1983 to 1986. He has earned several awards including Outstanding Young Man of America Award and the Gallaudet College Physical Education Major of the Year Award.

From 1995 to 1997, Payne was the head coach of the boys and girls track and field team for the New York School for the Deaf in White Plains. Payne guided the boy's team to its best finish in school history with a third-place finish at the Private School Athletic Association Track and Field Invitational.

"Duncan builds a great relationship with the athletes with whom he works, which will greatly facilitate the learning process on the team," said Head Coach Scott Slade. "His enthusiasm for track and field is infectious to those around him. He'll be a great asset to the program."

Duncan has already proven himself as a valuable member of our athletic program," said Peter Luguri, director of athletics and assistant vice president for student affairs. "We are fortunate to have him in a larger capacity."



Payne

## Plattsburgh Wins Four Invitationals Cardinals Flying High After Two Weeks

The Plattsburgh State athletic program crowned four champions over the past two weeks. The men's soccer team, the women's soccer team, and the men's and women's cross-country teams were all victorious after hosting four annual invitational tournaments.

In the Pepsi Cardinal Classic, the men's soccer team prevailed over Johnson State 2-0 in its first game on Saturday, Sept. 2.

The Cardinals then defeated St. Joseph's College 4-1 in the championship game on Sunday. Freshmen Pat Shea earned Most Valuable Offensive Player and teammate Joe Sacks was named the tournament's Most Valuable Defensive Player. Sophomores B.J. McGrane and Dominic Salemi were chosen members of the All Tournament team.

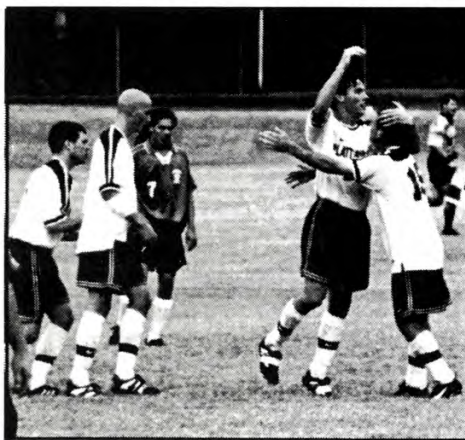
The men's and women's cross-country teams also shined on Saturday, Sept. 2. Both teams coasted to easy victories in the Cardinal sweep. The men were led by Matt Drowne and the women were paced by All American Kelly Duffy and Amy Tolosky.

On Sunday, Sept. 10, the women's soccer team defeated Ursinus College 1-0 in the championship game of the 2000 Pepsi Cardinal Classic.

Freshman Kerry Niessing scored both game-winning goals over the weekend, earning the honor as the tournament's Most Valuable Offensive player.

Sophomore Shannyn Hinkley was named the Most Valuable Defensive Player during the tournament.

Shanna Saunders and Megan Geary were also named to the All Tournament team.



Plattsburgh celebrates a goal en route to the 2000 Pepsi Cardinal Championship.



# 2000 Family Weekend Celebration set for Sept. 22-24

More than 300 families are expected to participate in numerous activities planned for the three-day 2000 Family Weekend celebration at Plattsburgh State University beginning Sept. 22.

Melanie Wyand, director of student activities, said the College looks forward to seeing families participate in the annual Family Weekend celebration, especially those of first-year students.

"This is another way that parents, brothers, sisters and even grandparents can get to know Plattsburgh State and the area as well," said Wyand.

The Burghy All-Star Games kicks off the weekend schedule of events Friday afternoon at 4 at Memorial Hall.

Teams compete in the yearlong rivalry in a variety of sports and activities and receive points for family members attending during the weekend.

The Cardinal men's varsity soccer team will go head to head with the Red Dragons of SUNY Cortland at the Field House beginning at 4 p.m.

Other events on Friday include:

- Planetarium Show, Northcountry Planetarium, 6 and 8 p.m. (Tickets required. Available at Angell College Registration Table)
- Chemistry Magic Show, Forbes Lecture Hall, Hudson Hall, 7 p.m.
- Sports Matches – Improv Theatre (Semi Final Round), Hartman Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building,
- Open Mic at Java Jo's, Angell College Center, 8 p.m.

On Saturday, those academically inclined will be able to attend one of several early morning classes.

The annual Three-Mile Fun Run and Walk begins at the Student Health Center at 9:30 a.m. followed by a men's varsity soccer game against SUNY Oswego at 1 p.m.

A number of excursions are planned for Saturday including all-day trips to Burlington, Montreal and the Adirondack Park Visitors Interpretive Center (Paul Smiths) and a mid-day tour of several area antique shops.

## Mountaineer, Eye Surgeon to Speak Sept. 28 at PSU

Geoffrey C. Tabin, the chief of cornea and external diseases in the Division of Ophthalmology at the University of Vermont, will speak about how he has combined his career and passion as a mountaineer during a lecture on Thursday, Sept. 28 at 8 p.m. in the Recital Hall of Hawkins Hall.

Tabin has climbed some of the highest mountains in the world during his past 26 years of mountaineering. He successfully became the fourth person to reach the high-

## Loston Harris: Jazz Pianist, Vocalist to Perform Sept. 23

The Loston Harris Jazz Trio will perform Saturday, Sept. 23 at 8:30 p.m. in Flynt Commons, Angell College Center as part of Family Weekend activities.

Originally a drummer, Harris attended Virginia Commonwealth University on a music scholarship until visiting professor Ellis Marsalis overheard him playing on a piano and encouraged Harris to pursue his talent on the keyboards. Marsalis returned to New Orleans, and Harris transferred to Howard University where he studied with famed jazz performers Geri Allen and Dr. Billy Taylor.

Harris further honed his skills on the road on a 22-city quintet tour in 1995 with Wynton Marsalis and with pianist Marcus Roberts' Portraits in Blue tour in 1996. He has even performed several times at the residence of Vice President Al Gore.

His live experience includes performances at the JVC Jazz Festival in New York; Kennedy Center in Washington, DC; and the Lincoln Center in New York.

The *LA Times* has called "Loston Harris a talent on the verge of happening. A strong singer, imaginative pianist and an engaging personality, he will soon become a breakout jazz presence."



Other activities on tap for Saturday are:

- Guided Tour of the Plattsburgh State Art Museum, 1 p.m.
- Ice Skating with Burghy, Stafford Ice Area, Field House, 3 p.m.
- Phi Eta Induction Ceremony, Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center, 4 p.m.
- Orientation Reunion, Flynt Commons, Angell College Center, 4:30 – 6 p.m.
- Sports Matches — Improv Theatre (Final Round), Hartman Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building,
- Evening of Jazz with Loston Harris Jazz Trio, Flynt Commons, Angell College Center, 8:30 p.m.
- Dessert with the Deans, Flynt Commons, Angell College Center, 8:30 p.m.

Family Weekend ends with the annual Presidents' Breakfast Buffet in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center at 10 a.m., Sunday.

For more information on Family Weekend activities, contact the Campus Life Office at 518-564-3824.

est point on all seven continents in 1990 and has participated in three expeditions to Mount Everest.

Tabin has combined his passion for mountain and ice climbing with taking care of the indigenous people of the Himalayan region of Asia.

He is currently co-director of the Himalayan Cataract Project, which has held at least 12 international cataract camps in Tibet, Nepal Pakistan, Kalimpong and Sikkim

to assist people with eye problems since 1995.

In conjunction with his lecture, Tabin will sign his book "Blind Corners: Adventures on Seven Continents" (ICS Books, 1993) at 7 p.m. at the Recital Hall.

Tabin's presentation, which is free and open to the public, is the first in the series of lectures being sponsored by the Adirondack Experience Program with support by College Auxiliary Services and Campus Life.



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## *New Freshmen, Graduate Student Enrollments Climb*

## **Enrollment, Revenues Up For Second Straight Year**

It's good news again for Plattsburgh State.

As first reported by President Horace Judson at his annual breakfast address to the faculty Aug. 24, the fall enrollment is up for the second straight year.

As of Sept. 19, the preliminary figures put the full-time freshmen class size at 985 students. This is an 11 percent increase over the fall freshmen enrollment last year.

The new matriculated graduate student

headcount rose by 54 percent helping to offset a decline in transfer students of 6.5 percent as compared to last fall's figures, which had increased dramatically over the previous year.

Overall, the preliminary student enrollment for the College is at 6,165. That's nearly 2.5 percent above the 1999 fall semester headcount of 6,015. The undergraduate student headcount climbed by 1.3 percent while the total graduate student popula-

tion improved by nearly 12 percent.

Pres. Judson said everyone participating in the recruitment and retention effort should be commended for their effort.

"The Admissions Office, including the undergraduate and graduate staff, is to be congratulated for its successful effort in recruiting a new class of freshmen, transfers and graduate students to Plattsburgh State," said Judson. "Its venture is not without the support of many faculty members, department chairs and others on this campus who meet with prospective students and parents visiting Plattsburgh State throughout the year. Or those individuals, including our alumni who attest to the value of their Plattsburgh education at various functions throughout the state this spring. I want to thank everyone for their effort to bring in the new class."

Plattsburgh State will also benefit financially as a result of the increase in enrollment with campus fall tuition revenues

### **Fall Enrollment Comparison 1999 vs. 2000 \***

	Fall 1999	Fall 2000	
	Actual	Goal	Actual
Total Headcount	6,015	6,051	6,165
Undergraduate	5,326	5,351	5,394
Graduate	689	700	771

\* This graph reflects numbers reported to SUNY Sept. 19, 2000

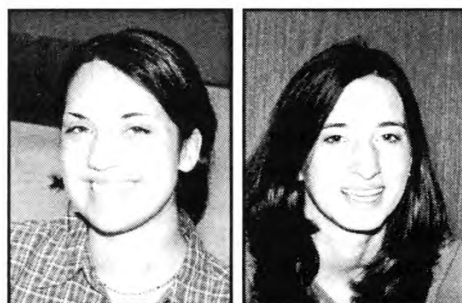
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## **Clinton County AmeriCorps Program Receives Increase in Funding**

The Clinton County AmeriCorps program, located in the Angell College Center, has received a three-year contract that will result in an increase in funding and the number of members who perform community service.

AmeriCorps is a federally funded program that is often referred to as "the domestic Peace Corps." Clinton County AmeriCorps members serve in the local community either full time (1700 hours of service) or part time (300 hours) and have up to one year to complete their term of service.

Kim Bresette '97 is project coordinator who has been with AmeriCorps for



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three and a half years. She said that the total amount of federal funding received for this program year (2000-2001) is \$214,495 with additional funding to fol-

low through the 2002-2003 program year based on the annual renewal of the grant.

This represents an increase of 27.5 percent over last year's funding level. AmeriCorps is starting its third year on the Plattsburgh State campus and its seventh year in Clinton County.

About 20 students are currently part-time members of the AmeriCorps program. Part-time members generally work 10 hours a week during two semesters to fulfill their 300 hours of service commitment to the program.

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## Professor Emeritus Klock Travels to England to Help Set up Museum

William Klock, professor emeritus of ceramics, spent part of his summer in St. Ives, England, helping to establish the Leach Legacy Museum in memory of Bernard Leach, a world-renowned ceramist who died at the age of 79 in 1992.

As an apprentice and long-time friend of Leach, Klock was honored when asked to help get the museum ready for its opening exhibition slated for September.

While in England, Klock helped set up the physical arrangement of the museum's exhibition spaces and also set up short-term international workshops and master classes

at the museum.

Klock, a Plattsburgh faculty member for 26 years, went to England in 1975-76 on sabbatical to work with Leach as a resident ceramist. Since then, he's gone back to St. Ives every couple years.

Throughout his teaching career at Plattsburgh State, Klock taught the Leachian aesthetics and spent time with Leach and his family. "I was singled out as the person to help with the museum because of my position in America and my connection to England. There are only six Leachian-trained ceramists in the United States.

"I have information that many other people don't have about Leach that will come in handy in promoting the museum."

Klock said that he was excited to be involved in the project. "Once we're all gone, the museum will live on and give perpetual care to Leach's work."



Klock



Richard Durham (center) of Plattsburgh was named the first recipient of the Melissa Lahtinen Penfield Fellowship. Durham, a contractor/sales manager at Ward Lumber, is an elementary-education graduate student. The fellowship was established earlier this year in memory and honor of Lahtinen Penfield who passed away Nov. 17, 1999 following a lifelong battle with cystic fibrosis. She received her master's degree from Plattsburgh State in 1991. With Durham are (l-r): Judge John Lahtinen (Melissa's father), Eleanor Lahtinen (mother), Thomas Penfield (husband) and Mary Penfield (mother-in-law).



A ceremony was held at the Feinberg Library Sept. 17 for the unveiling of a Benjamin F. Feinberg portrait that was donated by the family to the College. Feinberg, an assemblyman, was instrumental in the creation of SUNY. Several members of the Feinberg family were on hand for the ceremony. Pictured (l-r) are: Laurie Feinberg; Dr. Horace Judson, president of the College; Judge Robert Feinberg; Julian Bergman; Marcia Bergman; Peter Bergman; and Cerise Oberman, dean of library and information services. A reception was held following the ceremony in the lobby of the Rockwell Kent Gallery.

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climbing to \$10,746,000. That's \$461,000 more than targeted for the fall semester.

John Homburger, vice president for business affairs, said that the increase is mainly attributed to the growth in graduate, international and domestic out-of-state student numbers.

"Students in these categories pay a higher tuition rate to attend SUNY campuses, including Plattsburgh State," said Homburger. "Because of the increases in these enrollment numbers and the changes in the SUNY budget methodology,

Plattsburgh State will retain the additional funds for the coming year."

Statewide, SUNY continues to experience a growth in students.

The enrollment at SUNY campuses is now at 373,000 students, the highest level since 1995 according to preliminary data released Tuesday by Chancellor Robert King. Fall enrollment at the SUNY campuses climbed to more than 192,600, an increase of 1,900 students compared with last fall.

At State University community colleges, full-time enrollment increased by 3,590 stu-

dents, entering freshman increased by 863 students and full-time transfer students increased by 438 over last fall. Locally, North Country Community College experienced a freshman growth of 37 percent while Clinton Community College grew by 20 percent.

"This long-term pattern of enrollment growth demonstrates the excellence and value offered by the 64 superb campuses of the State University of New York," said Chancellor King. "New Yorkers continue to look to the State University to gain the knowledge they need to improve their lives."



# 2000 and Beyond Teacher Network Day on Campus Oct. 10

More than 2,500 teachers and administrators from 17 school districts in Clinton and Essex counties will participate in the second biennial networking day, titled "2000 and Beyond," on Tuesday, Oct. 10.

The first district-wide networking day was held two years ago at Plattsburgh State. The steering committee for the conference once again chose Plattsburgh State as the location for this networking day because of the positive feedback from those participants.

Teachers are identified in 32 "networks" depending on subject area or grade they teach. Each group, or network, has a network leader who was charged with the task of identifying colleagues from their grade level or subject area. The leaders surveyed these colleagues to create sessions that would focus on the group's interests and needs. Team leaders then worked to identify the best possible way to meet those needs and facilitate networking activities.

Sessions will cover many topics includ-



ing the new New York State Standards, assessments and State Education policies in individual subject areas.

More than 300 sessions will be held during the conference in every classroom building on campus. Regular Plattsburgh State classes will not be in session that day because of the Columbus Day break.

Kate Chilton, conference director for College Auxiliary Services, said that nearly every classroom on campus will be utilized for the conference.

"It's almost like having 32 small conferences at once," Chilton said.

The chairperson for this year's network-

ing day is Bernard Bassett G'86, principal of Northern Adirondack Central School. Bassett said that he is looking forward to networking with his fellow educators.

"It is our hope that each individual participant will share their expertise, success stories, resources, strategies, techniques and challenges," said Bassett. "We hope this day enables the participants to return to their positions rejuvenated, inspired and equipped with new strategies to meet the challenge of educating our children."

There will be representatives from educational vendors in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Exhibits will feature information on educational computer hardware and software as well as other teaching supplies.

Several Plattsburgh State offices also plan on participating in the exhibition including Admissions, the School of Business and Economics and the Center for Lifelong Learning. The exhibition is open to the campus community.

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## AmeriCorps (Continued from Page 1)

These part-time members receive an education award that may be used for existing student loans or for future tuition assistance.

Members work at local non-profit organizations, including CVPH Medical Center, Clinton County Nursing Home, Plattsburgh Housing Authority and Literacy Volunteers. These groups look to AmeriCorps members to help coordinate, develop and manage projects.

"Our role is to fill a need that without the members of AmeriCorps would not be met," said Bresette. "The role we fill is to enhance service and to help in areas that would be missed. We have developed some really strong partnerships in the community."

Marisa Smilansky is a senior psychology major from Granville, N.Y. and an AmeriCorps member working with the North Country Regional Traumatic Brain Injury Center at Plattsburgh State.

She said that she is looking to gain experience with different populations in society that have different disabilities and lifestyles.

"This is a great program. A lot of psychology students don't get hands-on experience, but that's a big part of psychology.

The work I do through AmeriCorps is going to be really helpful for my graduate studies and for the rest of my life," said Smilansky.

Jen Zani, a junior food and nutrition major from Yorktown Heights, N.Y., is working her second term of service with AmeriCorps at the CVPH Skilled Nursing Facility. She currently helps nurses with 54 elderly residents who have a wide range of abilities.

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*--Marisa Smilansky*

Zani said that community service has taught her time-management skills and has helped her to choose what area of food and nutrition to go into.

"I didn't think I would love it as much as I do," said Zani. "The residents' eating requirements vary, and I have the opportunity

to talk with the staff dieticians. It's really interesting."

Harland Harris '96 G'99, assistant project coordinator for AmeriCorps, said that members get together outside of their regular service hours to work on community initiatives such as tree planting, working at the Trinity Soup Kitchen and cleaning their section of the Adirondack Northway as part of the Adopt-a-Highway program.

The members also get together for team-building activities such as hiking and a retreat at Twin Valleys.

"Team building and community building events provide members with the opportunity to have some fun," said Harris.

There are more than 15 sites in Plattsburgh and Clinton County where AmeriCorps members are working. There are site supervisors at each site who serve as primary contacts and facilitators for the members.

Zani said that she gets just as much personally out of the program as she does toward her professional goals.

"It is one of the most amazing feelings when you leave (the hospital); you feel like you've done so much. It means a lot. The good always outweighs the bad," she said.



## Bentley Honored For Distinguished Service by UUP

Patricia Bentley, librarian in Feinberg Library, was one of two recipients of the United University Profession's Nina Mitchell Award for Distinguished Service honored at the UUP Statewide Delegate Assembly in Buffalo Sept. 22.

A crowd of about 300 UUP members from around the state watched as Bentley and SUNY Stony Brook retired professional Charles Hansen were formally recognized for their noteworthy contributions to the union.

Bentley has made her mark in the 12 years she has been active in UUP. She is currently on the statewide Executive Board,

serves as legislation committee chair and is a UUP delegate. She was recently elected to serve on the NYSUT Board of Directors.

"Those who know Patty will realize that her work for our union at the statewide level is only surpassed by her efforts on behalf of our colleagues at this campus," said Albert Mihalek, current Plattsburgh chapter president. "She has served this chapter with distinction for many, years, and anyone who knows Patty realizes further that her important contributions to this campus go far beyond her role as a UUP leader.

"We are fortunate to have Patty Bentley at this campus, and we should all feel great

pride in her most recent success."

She served as president of the Plattsburgh UUP chapter from 1994-1999.

The Nina Mitchell Award for Distinguished Service was named in honor of Nina Mitchell (1926-1988), a veteran union activist from the Brooklyn Health Science Center.



**Bentley**



**Dr. Kate Joyce**  
**Sandra Latourelle**  
**Dr. Karen Loaiza**  
**Peter Luguri**  
**Dr. Margaret Morrow**  
**Dr. Richard Schnell**

**Dr. Kate Joyce**, assistant professor in the Center for Earth and Environmental Science, gave an invited seminar at the Institute for Ecosystem Studies in Millbrook, N.Y. Sept. 22 on "Recent Policy Developments for Ozone and Acid Rain."

**Sandra Latourelle**, instructor in the biology department, received the Teaching Excellence Award for Adjunct Faculty from Plattsburgh State. Latourelle was recognized Aug. 26 during the fall academic convocation.

**Dr. Karen Loaiza**, assistant professor of art history, presented a paper titled "Christ-

ological Imagery at St. Gall and the Preservation of Early Christian Tradition" at the 35th-annual International Conference on Medieval Studies held at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo May 4-7. In addition, Loaiza attended a conference of the

Early Medieval Europe Research Group Sept. 7-9 at the Heriot-Watt University in Edinburgh, Scotland, where she lectured on "Ottonian Abbesses: Images of Power and Piety."

**Peter Luguri**, assistant vice president for student affairs and enrollment management and director of athletics, was elected president of the Plattsburgh City School District Board of Education. He was originally elected to the Board in May 1998.

**Dr. Margaret Morrow**, assistant professor of mathematics, attended a two-week workshop at the DIMACS (Discrete Mathematics and Computer Science) Center at Rutgers University, N.J. in June. As a result, Morrow is working with colleagues from Wheaton College, Mass., and Wesleyan University, Conn. writing an introductory module for students on graph coloring algorithms, titled "Coloring is for kids. Or is it?"

chair of the Mathematical Association of America Seaway Section Preparing Future Faculty/Project NExT (New Experiences in Teaching) advisory committee. Preparing Future Faculty is a project aimed at helping prepare mathematics graduate students for undergraduate teaching. Project NExT is a national project aimed at recent Ph.Ds in the mathematical sciences who are interested in improving the teaching and learning of undergraduate mathematics. In her capacity as chair of the advisory committee, Morrow is responsible for working with the committee to coordinate all activities of the Seaway Section NExT group, as well as to organize an annual special program for the PFF/NExT group in conjunction with the spring meeting of the section.

**Dr. Richard L. Schnell**, professor of counselor education, has been elected president of the Northeastern New York Coun-



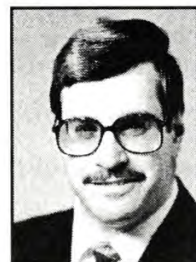
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to be published by DIMACS. She was also invited to serve on a peer review panel for grant applications for the National Science Foundation Course Curriculum and Laboratory Improvement in Washington, DC in July. Additionally, Morrow was appointed

selling Association (NENYCA). NENYCA represents school counselors, community counselors, substance-abuse counselors, career and corrections counselors, and student affairs professionals in Clinton and Essex counties.



# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Sept. 29 - Oct. 12, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## **Notes of Interest:**

**Depression Screening Day**, sponsored by the Counseling and Psychological Services Center, will feature a lecture on "Down Days, Blues and Depression: What is the Difference?" by Dr. Paul Morocco, executive director of the Center and free depression screenings on Thursday, Oct. 5 at the Student Health Center Building Room #148 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Free, anonymous screenings for depression and manic depression will be available along with an opportunity to take a self-test for depression, talk with a mental health professional and to analyze suicide risk of a friend or family member. Call Kristina Pierson at 564-3086 for more information. An information table with materials will be located in the Angell College Center Lobby, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

**The College Council** at Plattsburgh State will hold a special meeting on Friday, Sept. 29 at 5 p.m. in the Alumni Conference Room (Room 103), Hawkins Hall. The meeting is open to the campus community and the public. However, the College Council is expected to go into executive session for a major portion of the meeting.

## **Friday, Sept. 29**

**8:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.** Samuel De Champlain Symposium 2000, sponsored by the Center for the Study of Canada. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**3:30 p.m.** Women's Tennis vs. Clarkson. Field House Courts.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**5 p.m.** Special Meeting of the College Council. Alumni Conference Room, Hawkins Hall.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell Center.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

## **Saturday, Sept. 30**

**1 p.m.** Women's Soccer vs. Utica/Rome. Soccer Field, Field House.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7 p.m.** Pool Tournament sponsored by the Muslim Student Association. \$1.00 to enter tournament. Macdonough Hall Billiard Room.

## **Sunday, Oct. 1**

**2 p.m.** Club International Board Meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

## **Monday, Oct. 2**

**4 p.m.** Gay and Lesbian Support Group meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4:30 p.m.** Campus Community Open

Discussion with the President and Senior Administrators. Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**7:30 p.m.** First Monday 2000 — a National Awareness effort to end gun violence, featuring a video followed by a discussion. Sponsored by Campus Life. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** CWC weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10 p.m.** SA Senate meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

## **Tuesday, Oct. 3**

**12 p.m.** UUP Retirees luncheon meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**12 p.m.** Bible Study sponsored by Chi Alpha. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**12:30 p.m.** Hotel, Restaurant, Tourism (HRT) Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 5.

**4 p.m.** Eating Disorders Support Group meeting. Room 104, Ward Hall.

**4:30 p.m.** Tuesday Reflections presentation sponsored by the Office of the Dean of Arts and Science. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8:30 p.m.** Management Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**8:30 p.m.** O.W.E. bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**10 p.m.** WQKE/WARP General Staff meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

## **Wednesday, Oct. 4**

**8 a.m. - 12 p.m.** New Employee Information Session sponsored by Human Resources. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7:30 p.m.** Monthly Coffee House sponsored by Chi Alpha. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**8 p.m.** The Presidents' Speakers Series presents Dr. Kimberly Young speaking on "Caught in the Net — Internet Addiction," sponsored by the Offices of the Presidents: PSU, SA, CAS. Angell College Center, Warren Ballrooms.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**9 p.m.** Presentation on "the Rights and Responsibilities of Greek Life," sponsored by Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**10 p.m.** SA Executive Council meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.



#### Thursday, Oct. 5

**8 a.m. - 6 p.m.** Plattsburgh Studies in the Humanities Symposium, sponsored by the Office of the President. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** National Depression Screening Day Information Table, sponsored by the Counseling and Psychological Services Center. Angell Center Lobby.

**12:20 p.m.** Women's Studies Forum sponsored by the Women's Studies Program with assistance from CAS. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m. - 9 p.m.** Phi Delta Kappa presents Humorist Claudia Comet speaking on "Using Your Humor IQ: Leading With Laughter." Tickets: \$3.00, on sale at the door. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**6:30 p.m.** The SBE Career Launcher Series presents Seminar #1 — "How To Get Started." Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsman Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7 p.m. - 9 p.m.** National Depression Screening Day — Information and Screening provided. Student Health Center Bldg., Conference Room #148.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** The Visiting Poets and Writers Series presents Carolyn Wright, poet and translator, reading from her Blue Lynx Prize winning book "Seasons of Mangoes and Brainfire." Sponsored by the Office of the Dean of Arts and Science and CAS. CV Hall Commons.

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**8 p.m.** AKEBA bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.

#### Friday, Oct. 6

**8 a.m.** Plattsburgh Studies in the Humanities Symposium, sponsored by the Office of the President. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### *Presidents' Speaker Series Oct. 4: World's Leading Cyberpsychologist*

The Presidents' Speaker Series presents Dr. Kimberly S. Young, a clinical psychologist and assistant professor of psychology at the University of Pittsburgh, Wednesday, Oct. 4 at 8 p.m. in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center. Young has led the way in researching Internet addiction and deviant on-line behavior.

Young has written a recovery book for Internet addicts titled *Caught in the Net* (1999) and is currently working on a sequel to the book. She is also developing a self-help kit with audiotapes and workbooks to market nationally.

In 1998, Young began hosting *The Dr. Kimberly Young Show*, the first radio psychology call-in show launched on the Internet that deals with cyber-related issues. She also manages a "virtual clinic" for on-line related problems and general mental health.



**Dr. Young**

**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa meeting of the membership. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Come join our interfaith group for friends, faith, fun, and food. John XXIII Newman Center, Broad Street.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

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#### Saturday, Oct. 7

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

#### Monday, Oct. 9

No Classes — Columbus Day (Observed)

#### Tuesday, Oct. 10

No Classes, Columbus Day (Observed)

**8 a.m.** 2000 and Beyond — Multi-District Staff Development Day sponsored by Champlain Valley Educational Services. Location assigned according to your Network.

#### Wednesday, Oct. 11

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 3.

**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10 p.m.** SA Executive Council meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

#### Thursday, Oct. 12

**11 a.m. - 2 p.m.** Albany Law School Information Table sponsored by the Career and Placement Center. Angell Center Lobby.

**12 p.m.** Student Open Forum with the President and Senior Administrators. Location to be determined.

**12:20 p.m.** Sportsman Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6:30 p.m.** The SBE Career Launcher Series presents Seminar #2 — "Networking." Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsman Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7 p.m.** Greek President's Council meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

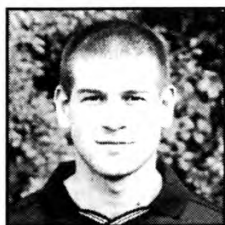
**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**9 p.m.** Club Caribbean bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.



## Hettinger, Laporte Named Athletes of The Week



Craig Hettinger



Debra Laporte

Sophomore Craig Hettinger of the men's soccer team and junior Debra Laporte of the women's tennis team were named athletes of the week for the week ending Sept. 17.

Hettinger earned this honor for his performances at New Paltz and at Utica/Rome. The sophomore from Hopewell Junction was an important factor in the Cardinal's jump to a ninth-place position in the latest Division III national poll. Hettinger scored a goal against New Paltz and tallied the first two goals in the game against Utica/Rome.

Laporte, a junior from Chazy, was awarded for her performance against SUNY rival Oswego. Laporte teamed with Kathy Stata to post an important 8-3 victory at No. 1 doubles. Laporte, the No. 1 singles player for Plattsburgh, then overwhelmed her opponent in singles action and cruised to a 6-3, 6-0 decision helping the Cardinals win their third match in a row.



### Women's Volleyball

#### Women Netters Place Third in SUNYAC Tournament

Six teams participated in the SUNYAC East Regional Volleyball Tournament Sept. 22-23 with host Plattsburgh finishing in third place. The Cardinals split the first two matches the first day. Oneonta won in five close games over Plattsburgh. However, the Cardinals turned the tables and won a close five-game match of their own against Potsdam. On day two, Plattsburgh took two of three, beating Utica/Rome and New Paltz but lost to eventual tournament winner Cortland.

## Cardinal Weekly Wrap Up

### *Men's Golf Team Captures Cardinal Invitational*

Men's Golf Head Coach Bruce Fry is smiling from cheek to cheek this week. The men's golf team captured the 2000 Cardinal Classic held at the Adirondack Golf and County Club, Sept. 21.

Freshman Guy Come turned in a spectacular round of 73 in harsh, windy conditions and helped mark the first tournament championship for Plattsburgh State since the College reinstituted the sport two years ago. The Cardinals won the event with a combined four score total of 317 in the five-team field. Oswego State finished second with 345 points.

### *Women's Tennis Team Nets Four Wins in Five Games*

The women's tennis team won four matches in a row before losing to Division II powerhouse St. Michael's College Sept. 21. St. Mike's proved to be the stronger team by outlasting Plattsburgh down the stretch. Four of the six singles matches went the distance, and the Saints won three of the four, which proved to be the deciding factor in the match. Earlier in the week, the Cardinals dominated Potsdam during a four-match winning streak outscoring their opponents by a score of 34-2.

### *Women's and Men's Cross Country Teams Race in Codfish Bowl*

Kelly Duffy placed sixth in the 33rd Annual Codfish Bowl Cross Country Meet held at Boston's Franklin Park Sept. 23. The women's team tied for fifth in the team standings. The All-American senior finished the 5,017 meter course in a time of 19:19:07. Amy Tolosky crossed the line in 12th place in a time of 19:40:60. The Cardinals tied with Bates College with 151 total points. Amherst won the 14-team event with 49 points.

The men's cross country team also competed in the Codfish Bowl and placed 11th with 329 points in the field of 18 teams. Matt Drown posted the highest finish for the Cardinals placing 39th in a time of 27:05:30. Teammate Dan Chase was a distant 61st. Tufts University took first with 66 points.

### *Women's Soccer Team Looks to Regroup*

The women's soccer team suffered two tough losses on the road Sept. 22 and 23 to SUNY Cortland and SUNY Oswego by the scores of 4-0 and 4-1, respectively. The Cardinals are 5-3 overall. Plattsburgh hopes to regroup when the team returns home to host Utica/Rome on Saturday, Sept. 30.

### Men's Soccer Team Post Ninth Victory; Remain Perfect For The Season

Chris Waterbury, 1999 SUNYAC coach of the year, continues to produce winning teams.

In fact, so far this season his men's soccer team does not know the feeling of losing a game. The Cardinals remained un-

defeated with a sweep of two SUNY foes this past weekend.

Plattsburgh won a very physical game over the Cortland Red Dragons by the score of 2-1, and the following day the Cardinals shut out Oswego 3-0. The Cardinals are currently ranked ninth in the nation and second in the northeast.

Against Cortland, netminder and team tri-captain, John Schraner, allowed only his third goal in eight starts.

Sophomore Craig Hettinger scored one goal in each game, including the game winner against SUNY Cortland.





# Homecoming 2000 — Rendezvous Mardi Gras Style

A Mardi Gras family festival and re-dedication of Amite Plaza highlight Homecoming 2000 at Plattsburgh State Oct. 13-15.

In a departure from previous years, the College will not hold its annual Homecoming parade. Instead, the College will present a Mardi Gras festival that will serve as a vehicle to bring students, alumni, community members and families to campus to celebrate, said Rose Robinson, director of alumni affairs.

"We are looking for an opportunity to celebrate the Plattsburgh spirit with our alumni, students, faculty, staff and the Plattsburgh community," Robinson said. "The re-dedication of the newly renovated Amite Plaza (between Angell College Center and Myers Fine Arts Building) along with our Mardi Gras festivities will provide the perfect environment for everyone of all ages to return to campus and experience what we call the Plattsburgh spirit."

## Homecoming Highlights

For a full schedule of events, check the Website at:  
<http://www2.plattsburgh.edu/oia/alumni/homecoming2000.html>



### Friday, Oct. 13

**11 a.m. — Presidential Golf Outing**  
*Barracks Golf Course, PARC*

**3-4 p.m. — Art Museum Tour**  
*Burke Art Gallery*

**3 p.m. — Women's Soccer vs. Geneseo**  
*Field House*

**4 & 7 p.m. — Tour the Universe**  
*Northcountry Planetarium, Hudson Hall*

**5 p.m. — Sports Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony**  
*Lobby, Memorial Hall, Hall of Fame Exhibit*

**5-7 p.m. — Educators Unite and Mix It Up!**  
*Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center*

**7-9 p.m. — Welcome Reception for Plattsburgh State's Family**  
*Flynt Commons, Angell College Center*

**9 p.m. — Fabulous Fireworks**  
*Field Behind Memorial Hall*



### Saturday, Oct. 14

**10 a.m. — Dedication of "Amite Plaza"**  
*Between Myers Fine Arts Center and the Angell College Center*

**11 a.m.-2 p.m. — Mardi Gras Festival-Family Fun**  
*Amite Plaza*

#### Band Schedule:

11 a.m.-Montreal Caribbean Dixie Band  
 12 p.m.-Zip City  
 1 p.m.-Geezer  
 2 p.m.-XYZ

Petting Zoo!

Jugglers!

Games & Prizes!

Pony Rides! Clowns! Jumping Castle!

**2:30 p.m. — Mike Blaine, Hypnotist**  
*E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall*

**3-5 p.m. — Department Open Houses**

**6-8:30 p.m. — Homecoming Award Program Dinner**  
*Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center*

**9 p.m. — Steve Gelder, Comedian**  
*E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall*

## New This Hockey Season: Reserved Seating

Plattsburgh State is offering reserved-seat-and-rail spaces in the Ronald B. Stafford Ice Arena for the 2000-2001 men's Cardinal ice hockey season.

This new reserve-seating and rail-space plan will guarantee reserved-seat ticket-holders their prime seats or rail space for all regular season hockey games, including the Pepsi Cardinal Classic.

Cardinal hockey fans who would like to continue to purchase general admission tickets will still have that option. However, fans will not be allowed to reserve seats with blankets prior to the game as in previous seasons.

Cardinal Booster Club members will have first priority in the selection of reserved seating, followed by students, College faculty, staff and Plattsburgh College Foundation members, and the general public. The following is a schedule for ticket sales:

### For Booster Club Members

Saturday, Sept. 30 at the Plattsburgh State Field House

• 10 -11 a.m.: 1999-2000 Coaches Club members (\$250 level) who renew their membership for 2000-01

- 11 a.m.-12 p.m.: 1999-2000 Boosters (\$75 level) who renew their membership for 2000-01
- 12 -1 p.m.: 2000-2001 New Cardinal Club members (\$500 level)
- 1-2 p.m.: 2000-2001 New Coaches Club members (\$250 level)
- 2- 3 p.m.: 2000-2001 New Boosters (\$75 level)

### For the College Community

Saturday, Sept. 30 at the Plattsburgh State Field House

- 3- 4 p.m.: Plattsburgh State students can upgrade to reserved for \$35
- 4 -5 p.m.: Other members of the College including faculty, staff and College Foundation members (please bring ID)

### For the General Public

Sunday, Oct. 1 at the Plattsburgh State Field House

- 1- 4 p.m.: The general public may purchase reserved seats and/or rail spaces at \$110 per seat/space

For more information on reserved seating for hockey games or Booster Club membership, contact the Cardinal Booster Club at 564-2090 or the Department of Sport and Wellness at 564-3140.



# focus on Plattsburgh

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## Institute for Ethics in Public Life Receives Federal Grant

The Institute for Ethics in Public Life has received a \$75,000 grant from the Fund for the Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE). The federal government uses FIPSE to promote innovations in higher education.

Dr. Thomas Moran, founding director of the institute, said that FIPSE grants are highly competitive.

"More than 2,000 applications are submitted, and typically 200 grants are funded," said Moran.

FIPSE supports projects that show promise of producing invaluable and enduring innovations in higher education.

The \$75,000 grant will be used to support the work of the Institute during the next three years and will provide three things, said Moran.

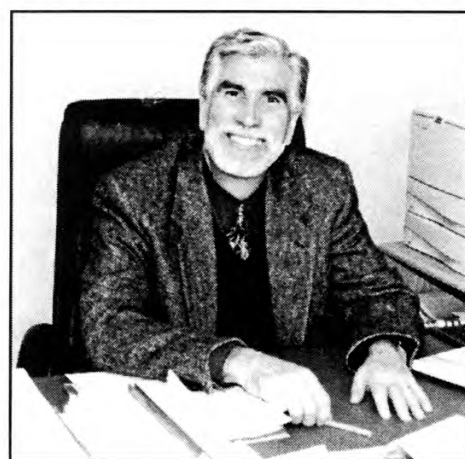
"The grant will be used for a unique training program and support for the fellows at the Institute. Second, it will be used to

evaluate the educational outcomes related to introducing ethical issues in the classrooms. And third, it will link us (Plattsburgh State) to a small consortium of two other institutions promoting the consideration of ethics in college curriculums," Moran said.

Moran sent FIPSE an initial application for a grant to support the Institute. The FISPE committee that decides which projects receive funding came back to Moran with a slightly different proposal.

"This is something they don't typically do," said Moran. "It's a very unique thing for them to reshape an application for funding." He said that the "typical" grant application response is "yes, we'll fund your project," or "no, we won't."

FIPSE was interested in funding a project that would promulgate the kinds of things Plattsburgh State is doing with its Institute. FIPSE asked Plattsburgh State to join with Miami Dade Community College and Utah



Dr. Thomas Moran

Valley State University in maximizing the work of innovative ethics programs.

Moran said, "FIPSE choose three different types of institutions in three different areas of the country to explore how activities

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## Students Receive Grants For Lake Champlain Projects

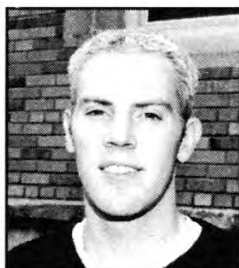
It will be a very busy year for three students who have received grants from the Lake Champlain Research Consortium.

Jenifer Jensen, Justin Musser and Julius Oni are working with Dr. Nancy Elwess, assistant professor of biological sciences, on their year-long projects, which are being funded with \$500 grants.

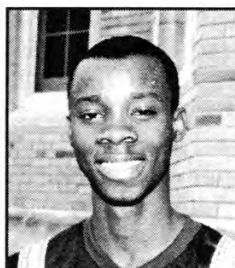
The Lake Champlain Research Consortium awards grants for students conducting research on the Lake Champlain Basin. A



Jensen



Musser



Oni

panel of faculty members from Plattsburgh State, the University of Vermont, Middlebury College, Johnson State College and St. Michael's College determines grant awards based upon proposals received from stu-

dents at those institutions.

Jensen is a junior biology major from Plattsburgh who plans to go on to graduate school and enter the field of genetic counseling.

Her project involves the production of a video, titled *Lake Champlain: The Living Classroom*, which can be used

by teachers in their science curriculum.

"Connecting the community to the classroom is definitely important," said Jensen. "The video will be something inter-

(See *Student Research*, Page 2)



# Pearl, Archard Named to SUNY Alumni Honor Roll

Dr. Agnes Pearl, a 1960 graduate, and Douglas Archard, a 1963 graduate, have been named to the SUNY 2000 Alumni Honor Roll.

**Dr. Agnes Pearl** was the interim president of Clinton Community College in Plattsburgh. Pearl began her service to Clinton Community College in 1977 as director of the nursing program.

In 1978, she assumed the associate academic dean's position in addition to her nursing responsibilities.

For the past two years, Pearl has served as interim vice president of academic affairs and dean of faculty.

Her impact on the Department of Nursing at Clinton Community College and other academic areas over the years has endeared her to the institution.

Pearl was named the recipient of the Clinton Community College Special Recognition Award in 1991 as a testament to the contributions she has made to the college community. In 1992, Pearl received the prestigious SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Service.

Before working at Clinton Community College, she served as a part-time medical-surgical and maternity nurse at Southside Hospital in Bayshore, N.Y. and Metropolitan Hospital in New York City.

She was also an instructor of medical surgical nursing at the Champlain Valley



**Dr. Agnes Pearl and her husband, Tom '60, were in Albany for the 2000 Alumni Honor Roll Banquet Sept. 22. Douglas Archard was out of the country and unable to attend the event.**

Hospital of Nursing in Plattsburgh and an associate professor of nursing in medical-surgical nursing at Plattsburgh State. In 1966, Pearl was named director of the Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital Medical Center School of Nursing.

She remained in that position until she was appointed director of the nursing program at Clinton Community College in 1977.

Pearl's past membership on various community services boards in the Plattsburgh

community includes Hospice of the North Country; New York State Nurses Association District 8; CVPH Medical Center Institutional Review Board; and the St. John's Academy Parent Committee.

She earned her bachelor's degrees from Plattsburgh State, master's from Teacher's College, Columbia University, and her doctorate from SUNY Albany.

**Douglas B. Archard** is a retired diplomat-in-residence for The Carter Center in Atlanta, Ga., where he worked with the Conflict Resolution and the Democracy programs.

A career foreign-service officer, Archard is the former U.S. consul general in Karachi, Pakistan.

He also served as deputy chief of mission in Ashkhabat, Turkmenistan; consul general in Belfast, Northern Ireland; political consular in Khartoum, Sudan and deputy head of the political and political/military sections in Ankara, Turkey.

Prior to working with the State Department, Archard served in the U.S. Army and as a Peace Corps volunteer in the Philippines.

He earned a master's degree in Indian Studies from the University of Wisconsin - Madison and he holds an honorary doctorate of letters from the University of Ulster, Coleraine. Archard said he still loves traveling to various parts of the world.

## Student Research *(Continued from Page 1)*

active and will give teachers a little extra advantage to enhance scientific learning in their schools."

Musser, a senior computer science major from Esperance, N.Y., received his grant to work on Web development and producing a database that will be used by area schools.

As part of the grant, Musser is also creating educational and interactive learning instruments, games, quizzes, etc., that will be linked on his Web page. These instruments will be designed to help educate students about Lake Champlain.

"The main purpose of my project is to bring attention to the many issues facing Lake Champlain to kids in elementary through high school.

"Interactive learning is the goal to enlighten kids about Lake Champlain's biology and organisms," said Musser, who is

weighing his options between going to graduate school or jumping into the job market following graduation.

Oni, a biology major and sophomore international student from Nigeria, is planning to go on to medical school. He is studying the paramecium populations that live within the Lake Champlain Basin.

Elwess and Oni are trying to see any differences in the populations based on their environment and determining whether or not that environment has influenced those differences.

"The differences in environment may be due to toxins, acid rain, farm run-off, etc.," said Elwess.

"When medical schools or graduate schools are looking at the resumes of students, a grant is one of the special things that distinguish you from other applicants," said

Oni. "I really appreciate receiving the grant. I fell in love with research, and I'm already planning my next research project."

All three students will be presenting their project next April at the Lake Champlain Research Consortium Student Symposium as part of their grant requirement and will also be presenting their work to the area teachers at a spring workshop and at some of the area schools.

Elwess said that students are competing for these grants against both undergraduate and graduate students from other institutions that make up the Lake Champlain Basin.

"I am excited to be working with these students on their projects due to the diversity of the students involved, the work ethic of each student and the broad range of topics their research covers," said Elwess



## Higgins Named Associate Vice President

Dr. Patricia Higgins, distinguished SUNY service professor of anthropology, has been named to the permanent appointment of associate vice president for academic affairs.



Higgins

Higgins has served as the interim associate vice president for academic affairs since October 1998 and as co-chair of the Middle States Steering Committee since that committee's formation last year.

Dr. Cynthia Hirtzel, provost and vice president for academic affairs, said Higgins has proved herself in the interim position as a very qualified individual for the permanent post.

Hirtzel said, "Pat brings an extensive knowledge of the campus and the needs of the position to the post. I look forward to her continued assistance in the future."

Some of her responsibilities include: co-

ordination, evaluation and implementation of the General Education Program, including curriculum design in humanities, social sciences and natural sciences; development of transfer articulation agreements and joint admissions agreements with SUNY community colleges, technical colleges and specialized schools; supervision of the individualized studies major degree program, summer academic orientation and interdisciplinary programs; and coordination and development of 3+2 and 4+1 degree programs.

She serves on a number of committees including Academic Council, Dean's Cabinet, General Education Committee, Graduate Studies Council and Assessment Committee.

Higgins began her career at Plattsburgh State in 1973 as an assistant professor in anthropology and was promoted to associate professor in 1982 and to full professor in 1988.

In May 1995, she was named distinguished service professor by the SUNY Board of Trustees.

## Salsa Picante Comes To Plattsburgh State

Need a little spice in your life? Wayne Gorbea and *Salsa Picante* will be holding Afro-Cuban (salsa) workshops and performing a salsa concert and dance Sunday, Oct. 22.

Considered to be one of the main groups associated with the New York City-based "salsa dura" (hard salsa) movement, *Salsa Picante* recently released its latest CD *Saboreando*. In his column in the latest issue of *Beat Magazine*, London DJ Dave Hucker wrote, "*Saboreando* is the first major Latin album of the year and of this millennium."



The free workshops will be held at 1:30 p.m. in the Myers Fine Arts Building and will concentrate on the role of the various instruments in the salsa, ways to approach harmony and melody in the rhythm section and the fine art of salsa singing.

Following the workshops, you can listen and dance to *Salsa Picante* in concert at 3 p.m. in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center. Tickets for the concert are \$2 for SA members; \$4 for faculty, staff, senior citizens and non-PSU students; and \$6 for the general public.

## Cardinal Booster Campaign Sets \$75,000 Goal

The Cardinal Booster Club held its Membership Campaign Kick-off Tuesday, Sept. 26. Cardinal fans gathered for the festive occasion, met the coaches and players, said "hi" to Burghy and saw the Cardinal Kickline. Larry Cowan, director of corporate and athletic development, announced the Booster Club campaign goal of \$75,000. Leadership gifts were presented to the Booster Club at the kick-off from Peter Luguri, assistant vice president for student affairs and director of athletics; Mary Ann Castine and Trent Trahan from Primelink; and C. Thomas Cummings '56, chair of the Booster Club membership campaign. Pictured above are (from l-r): Luguri, Castine, Burghy, Trahan, John Carothers, vice president for institutional advancement and Carol Anne Rugar, president of the Cardinal Booster Club.



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such as those undertaken at our Institute can be disseminated to other institutions around the country."

Moran will meet with officials from FIPSE once a year and twice a year with officials at the other two institutions and exchange information on a regular basis via e-mail and other forms of communication.

Although the link between the three institutions is an integral part of the FIPSE grant, Moran said that most of the funding from the grant is specifically for the training and development of faculty at Plattsburgh

State.

Plattsburgh State faculty members who are chosen as fellows spend a semester-in-residence at the Institute in Hawkins Hall, developing their capabilities to introduce the issues of ethics into their disciplines and their teaching.

"In every discipline or profession, there exists a set of responsibilities and ethical codes of behavior that should govern the way these professionals behave," said Moran.

"These codes are increasingly becoming more complex. The question becomes

"How does the College best impact our students?"

"Essentially, this can best be accomplished by enabling the faculty to introduce ethical concerns in a wide range of courses."

During the semester, fellows do extensive reading and scholarly projects.

"The Institute gives the fellows the opportunity to become much more sophisticated in these (ethics) issues. They develop ways to incorporate ethics into their classes in a more complex and comprehensive way," said Moran.



# Iranian Anthropologist Visits Campus Oct. 16

Dr. Mehdy Soraya, professor emeritus and former chair of the Department of Anthropology at Tehran University in Iran, will be visiting campus the week of Oct. 16.

Soraya has specialized in the studies of culture and personality, group dynamics, religion and mysticism, public health and popular culture in the United States and Iran.

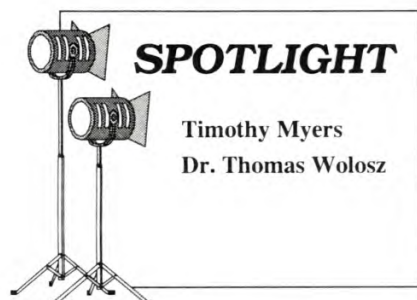
He will be speaking on "America as a Foreign Culture: An Iranian Anthropologist's View," Monday, Oct. 16 at 4:30 p.m. in the Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

He will also participate in a group discussion with international students and anthropology majors, moderated by Dr. James Armstrong, professor of anthropology, on "Reactions to American Culture," Tuesday, Oct. 17 at 12:15 p.m. in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

In addition, Soraya will participate in an informal discussion of "Life in Contemporary Iran," with Dr. Patricia Higgins, distinguished service professor of anthropology and associate vice president of academic

affairs, and Dr. Taher Zandi, distinguished service professor of psychology and director of the Alzheimer's Disease Assistance Center, Wednesday, Oct. 18 at noon in Meeting Room 1 at the Angell College Center.

All members of the campus community are welcome to attend these discussions and the Monday presentation. For more information, contact Higgins at 564-2195. The visit is sponsored by the Department of Anthropology, International Student Services and College Auxiliary Services.

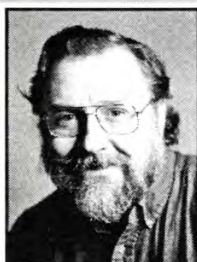


**Timothy Myers**, visiting assistant professor in the Center for Educational Studies and Services, has had his new picture book for children, *Basho and the Fox*, published with national distribution by Marshall Cavendish. Daniel Pinkwater read the book aloud on National Public Radio's *Weekend Edition* in September. Myers also had poem accepted for publication by *Sport Literate* and a story appearing in *Fantasy, Folklore and Fairytale*.

**Dr. Thomas Wolosz**, professor in the Center for Earth and Environmental Sci-

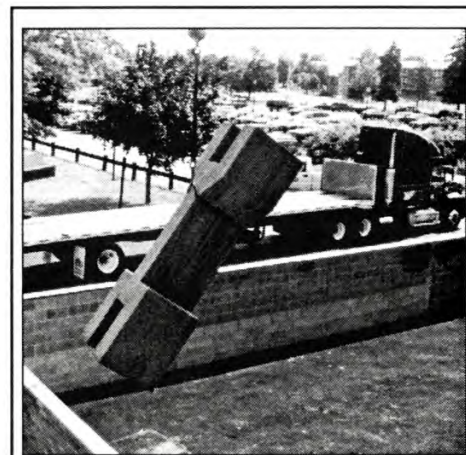


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ence, will present information on the Dinosaur Paleocology Laboratory Project at the 112th annual meeting of the Geological Society of America Nov. 9-18. The project develops applied, interdisciplinary laboratory clusters for non-science majors emphasizing scientific methodology in geology, biology and physics. The conference will be held at the Reno/Sparks Convention Center, Reno, Nev. and is hosted by the University of Nevada-Reno, the Desert Research Institute and the Geological Society of Nevada.



Don Osborn, professor of art, is one of 30 sculptors to have work featured in an outdoor exhibit at the Seaside Sculpture Park in Bridgeport, Conn. on the edge of Long Island Sound. Osborn's piece, which was taken via truck (above) to Bridgeport this summer, will be on exhibit during the next two to three years.



The University Police is now at full force with 15 officers, including four recent recruits. Above, Officers Jon Bombard, Jr. (far left) and Paula St. Clair (second from the left), who graduated from the SUNY Training Program in August during a ceremony at the State Police Academy in Albany, were sworn in by President Horace Judson. Police Chief Richard Boas (right) also attended the ceremony.



Officer Robert Mesec (far left) and Investigator Jerry Lottie (second from the left) were recently sworn in by President Judson. Lottie transferred to Plattsburgh from SUNY Canton College of Technology. Also attending the swearing in ceremony were Chief Richard Boas (second from right) and Dr. Donald Peters, vice president for academic affairs and enrollment management (far right).



# focus on Plattsburgh

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## Two Students Receive Gates Millennium Scholarships

Two Plattsburgh State students are the recipients of Gates Millennium Scholarships for this academic year. Kany Joa and ShaQuanna Sterling are two of more than 4,000 students nation-wide to receive these scholarships.

The Gates Millennium Scholars Program was created last year with a grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. The program is administered by the United Negro College Fund in partnership with the Hispanic Scholarship Fund and the American Indian College Fund.

More than 62,000 high-achieving students applied for scholarships in this inaugural year of the program, which is a 20-year, \$1 billion initiative aimed at reducing the financial barriers to a college education. The program plans to induct 1,000 new scholars each year with as many as 4,000 Millennium



Joa

Scholars in school at any given point during the program's 20-year span.

President Horace Judson commended Joa and Sterling for their hard work and academic excellence.

"It is the students, like Kany and ShaQuanna, who make Plattsburgh State the



Sterling

strong academic institution that it is. We are truly proud that these two outstanding students have received the Gates Millennium Scholarship," said Judson.

Sterling, a sophomore nursing student from Bronx, N.Y., said that she was happy  
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## Memorial Hall to Host Winter Commencement Ceremonies Dec. 16

Winter Commencement at Plattsburgh State will take on a different look Dec. 16 in more than one way.

The ceremony moves to a Saturday following approval by Executive Council earlier this year.

In addition to re-scheduling the date of the ceremony, Plattsburgh State will now hold two commencement ceremonies Dec. 16 in Memorial Hall Gymnasium as a result of a late start to renovations of the gymnasium within the Field House.

Dr. Ben Corpus, senior executive assistant to the president, said that the change to Saturday was due to the concerns of many students and parents. They expressed concern that they sometimes had to take two days off from work to be able to attend the ceremony.

Corpus also said the decision to split the ceremony into two separate ones was based on the limited crowd capacity in Memorial Hall gymnasium.

One ceremony would allow only two tickets per graduate whereas two ceremonies allows graduates to have four guests in

Memorial Hall. If a student has more than four guests, those guests will be able to view the ceremony from Yokum Hall where it will be televised live.

"After consulting with the Student Association, Executive Council and many key players on campus, the president decided this was the best option for the students," said Corpus.

There will be approximately 500 degree candidates for Winter Commencement. Students expecting to receive bachelor of arts degrees, along with master degree and certificate candidates, will be honored in the 10 a.m. ceremony. Bachelor of science degree candidates will be honored in a separate ceremony at 1:30 p.m.

There will also be two separate receptions for the graduates and their guests following the ceremonies in the Warren Ballrooms. Students will each be issued four tickets for their family members similar to the spring commencement setup.

Each candidate will also be sent more information on commencement next month.



## Admissions Hosts Fall Open House Oct. 28

Admissions is hosting a Fall Open House for prospective undergraduate and graduate students on Saturday, Oct. 28. More than 750 guests, including 250 prospective college students, are expected to attend the event.

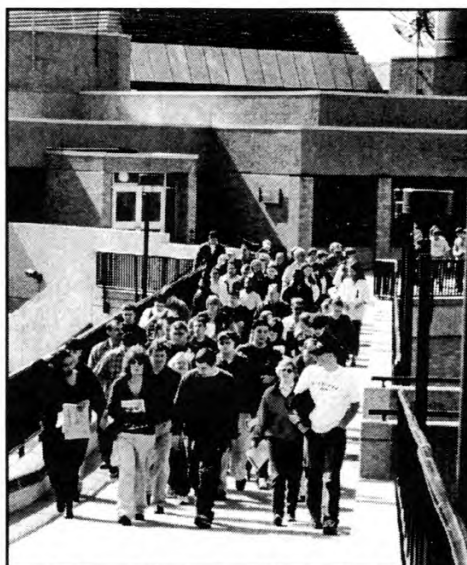
"This is a key time for prospective students and parents," said Rich Higgins, director of admissions. "They're attempting to focus their college choices and decide where to apply. Fall Open House is a great opportunity for us to increase the chances that Plattsburgh will be on their short lists of colleges they select at application time."

The event will begin at 9:30 a.m. in the E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall, with a discussion about academics, admissions and student life. Immediately following this initial presentation, student tour guides will conduct campus tours.

At 11:30 a.m., each academic department will be on hand to meet and answer questions from prospective students and parents. Concurrent to the academic department fair there will be a student club fair. Both of these events will take place in the Angell College Center.

A Graduate Studies Fair will be featured along with the Open House event beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center. Prospective graduate students can explore the College's offerings in education, counseling, liberal studies, psychology, school administration and speech-language pathology.

All Fall Open House events will conclude at 1:30 p.m. For more information, contact Undergraduate Admissions at 518-564-2040; or for the Graduate Studies Fair, contact Graduate Admissions at 518-564-4723.



Students visit campus during last spring's Open House.

## Annual Black Student Union Festival Nov. 3-5

AKEBA presents its annual Black Student Union Festival at Plattsburgh State Friday through Sunday, Nov. 3-5.

This year's festival, *Getting a Higher Education To Teach Others*, G.H.E.T.T.O., gets things started with a theatre presentation, "One Race, One People, One Peace" Friday, Nov. 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall. Tickets are \$7 for SA members; \$10 for Plattsburgh State faculty and staff; and \$15 for the general public.

A pajama party will also be held Friday, Nov. 3 at 11 p.m. in Warren Ballroom A, Angell College Center, featuring a performance by a special guest.

The festival continues Saturday, Nov. 4 with a rap session at 4 p.m. in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center. J. W. Wiley, director of the Center for Diversity, Pluralism and Inclusion, will lead a discussion on the topic, "The Future is Now! How are You Gonna Git Yours?"

A skating party will be held at the Lake City Skates Saturday, Nov. 4 at 10:30 p.m. Transportation will be provided from the Angell College Center and tickets are \$4 for SA members and \$5 for the general public.

The festival wraps up Sunday, Nov. 5 with a Burst Your Belly Dinner featuring homemade ethnic foods and a performance by the Plattsburgh State Gospel Choir. The dinner will be held at the Newman Center at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$5 for SA members and \$7 for the general public.

A combo ticket for all the festival events can be purchased and are \$15 for SA members and \$17 for the general public. Tickets for the festival are available the Angell College Center Desk. For more information about the Festival and the events, call Richelle A. Walters at 566-6813.

## Distinguished Visiting Alum Roy Scheller '76 on Campus Nov. 1-3

As part of the Alumni Association's Distinguished Visiting Alumni Program, Roy Scheller '76 will be giving a public presentation Thursday, Nov. 2 at 7:30 p.m. in Hawkins Hall, Room 153B.

His presentation, titled "Culture and Context in Meeting the Needs of Persons with Developmental Disabilities," is free and open to the public.

The presentation is part of his visit to campus Wednesday through Friday, Nov. 1-3. While on campus, Scheller will also participate in a number of classes as a guest lecturer. Scheller is the deputy director of Hope Community Resources, Inc. in Anchorage, Alaska, where he has been employed since 1980.

Hope Community Resources is a private, not-for-profit agency that employs a staff of 350 and has a budget of over \$12 million to provide statewide support for individuals who have experienced developmentally disabilities. Scheller is a leading advocate of the full inclusion of persons with developmental disabilities in the life of the community, in meaningful and valued roles.

For the past five years, Scheller's agency has been providing summer practicum placements for an average of six Plattsburgh State students per year. After taking a one-unit course on the anthropology of disability and inclusion, and participating in other orientation activities, students selected for this program spend 10 weeks using anthropology to facilitate the inclusion of persons with developmental disabilities in communities in Anchorage, Dillingham, Kodiak and Juneau.

Hope Cottages provides each student with a mentor, a stipend, housing and business transportation within Alaska. Scheller attempts to send each student on official business to a native Alaskan village.

He and other staff members have designed and administered a week-long orientation program in Anchorage for the students, who participate in a weekly conference call that includes all the students and two or three Plattsburgh State faculty.



## SEFA Campaign to Raise \$40,000 From Faculty and Staff

The co-chairs of the State Employees Federated Appeal (SEFA) hope that Plattsburgh State's faculty and staff will continue to "Give a Little - Help a Lot" during this year's annual fund-raising campaign to raise \$40,000.

Peter Luguri and Marlyn Cotter, SEFA co-chairs, said that Plattsburgh State has led all other state agencies in Clinton and Essex counties for many years.

"The faculty and staff at Plattsburgh State have given generously to SEFA each year to help support non-profit agencies that assist families, individuals and other organizations," said Luguri. "We hope that they will continue to give to the SEFA campaign this year."

Cotter said that Plattsburgh State employees pledged more than \$39,750 in the 1999 SEFA campaign. That was 11 percent more than the goal set last year.

"We have a generous group of faculty and staff who believe it is important to assist those organizations including local, state, national and international service agencies. Many of them set aside a little of their paychecks every week to go toward the SEFA campaign," said Cotter.

In fact, Cotter said that Plattsburgh State employees should be proud of their efforts.

The campus was third in total pledges last year among the SUNY university centers and colleges. The University at Buffalo and Buffalo State College were slightly higher, and the University of Buffalo has a full-time person dedicated to this effort.

To launch the SEFA campaign toward the \$40,000 goal, a leadership pledge of \$4,600 was issued by President Judson, members of the Executive Council, CSEA President Betty Lennon, UUP President Al Mihalek, Jeanne Bennick, Luguri and Cotter at the Oct. 19 kick off breakfast.

Volunteer coordinators are currently handing out pledge forms to each employee. The SEFA campaign will conclude Dec. 1.

## Education Re-Registers Undergraduate Curriculum; Approved by State

The Center for Educational Studies and Services received great news earlier this fall that the New York State Department of Education has approved its education curriculum.

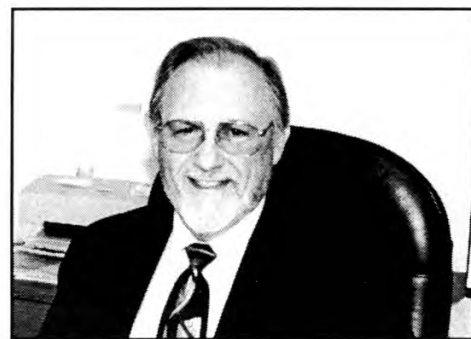
SED is requiring all higher education institutions that offer education degrees to re-register their curriculums to make sure they pass the new, stricter state standards.

Dr. Ray Domenico, chair of educational studies and services, said that the faculty and staff worked long and hard preparing the necessary curriculum registration forms for the state.

"Many of the programs met the state's new regulations already, but we needed to register them in a certain way," said Domenico. "We spent last fall getting everything together and then everything went through the faculty senate."

Last April, James McCartney, instructional support specialist in educational studies and services, personally drove the entire registration package to Albany.

"They (the Department of Education) reviewed the information and sent a letter with a few questions. We made some minor changes to two or three programs and sent it back to Albany," said Domenico.



Domenico

Earlier this fall, Domenico received a letter from SED stating that all of the education programs at Plattsburgh State had been approved.

"We were already very close to compliance of the new state standards," said Dr. Jeanne Ellsworth, associate professor of educational studies and services, "We did not have to make sweeping changes to any of our programs. We were ahead of the curve."

The next step regarding the registration of curriculums for the education programs comes next spring when the graduate-level programs will be re-registered with the state.

Educational Studies is also gearing up for its NCATE accreditation review that will take place in 2003.

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and shocked when she learned she had been awarded a Millennium Scholarship.

"When I received it, I said, 'Oh wow, hard work pays off.' I look at what it means and not just the money part of it. It will enable me to push more for the stars," said Sterling.

To be eligible for a Gates Millennium Scholarship, a student must have at least a 3.3 grade point average, be enrolled full-time in an accredited four-year undergraduate degree program or accepted or enrolled in a graduate degree program in mathematics, science, engineering, education or library science and demonstrate leadership skills and community involvement.

Sterling is a member of AKEBA, correspondent secretary for the Organization of Woman of Ethnicity, participates in the Peer Recruitment Program and volunteers for phone-athon and the mentoring program.

Joa is a sophomore in hotel, restaurant and tourism management from the Dominican Republic. She said that Marlene Fields, director of the Educational Opportunity Program, encouraged her to apply for the Gates scholarship.

"She told me to apply, that you can try and nothing is impossible. I was so happy when I heard I had received the scholarship," said Joa. "And I really need it. I depend on my loans, so the scholarship really helped me."

Bill Gates said that the best and brightest students shouldn't be denied access to higher education simply because they can't afford it.

"Melinda and I hope that this gift will not only benefit thousands of students but also benefit America by empowering a diverse generation of leaders who otherwise might not have a chance," said Gates.



## Business Campaign is Reaching New Horizons

The Plattsburgh College Foundation is kicking off its annual Business Partners Campaign Nov. 6 with a goal of \$125,000, which represents a 25-percent increase from last year's campaign total. The theme for this year's business campaign is "Reaching New Horizons."

Dr. Horace Judson, president of Plattsburgh State, said that he is looking forward to kicking off this year's campaign and meeting with community leaders.

"Working together with business leaders to strengthen Plattsburgh State, its students, academic programs and all other areas that receive support through the Foundation, creates a truly important and necessary link between the College and the community," said Judson. "I want to thank everyone who assists us in this campaign and those who contribute to our efforts."

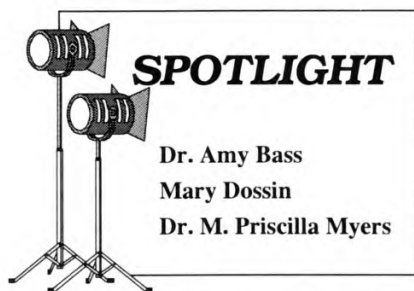
The chairperson for this year's campaign is Trent Trahan, CEO of the Champlain Telephone Company. The independent phone company and its subsidiaries, including PrimeLink, provide fiber optic networks, long distance service and Internet access accounts. Trahan, a native of Chazy, N. Y. and a Plattsburgh State alumnus, said that he's proud to be a part of this year's campaign.

"Plattsburgh State University's role is integral to the texture of the fabric of our community. There are nearly 6,500 alumni currently employed in the North Country, and we depend on the College for an educated work force. That's why supporting Plattsburgh State through the Business Partners Campaign is a good investment for business," said Trahan.

The kick-off will be held Nov. 6 in the Northcountry Planetarium in Hudson Hall with a 7:30 a.m. "Breakfast Under the Stars."

Larry Cowan, director of corporate and athletic development, said that he is excited about this year's business campaign.

"We are looking forward to working with Plattsburgh community leaders in raising funds for scholarships and other Foundation activities that support the College and the students," said Cowan. "With Trent and the great team of business leaders helping us this year, we're reaching for new horizons."



**Dr. Amy Bass**, assistant professor in the History Department, presented a paper, "Bright Starts: the (Inter) National Staging of Race and Rights in Sports" in October at the annual meeting of the American Studies Association in Detroit, Mich. Her paper linked the historical consequences of a variety of interpretations of the national anthem, by athletes such as Tommie Smith and John Carlos, and musicians such as Jose Feliciano, Aretha Franklin and Jimi Hendrix, to the suspension of Muslim basketball player Mahmoud Abdul-Rauf in 1996 by the National Basketball Association.



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Dossin



Myers

**Mary Dossin**, adjunct lecturer in English and former writing specialist in the Claude J. Clark Learning Center, has contributed a chapter, "Using Others' Words: Quoting, Summarizing and Documenting Sources" to the book, *A Tutor's Guide: Helping Writers One to One*, which was recently published by Boynton/Cook. Her essay, "Unfinished," appears in *Comp Tales: An Introduction to College Composition Through Its Stories*, recently published by Longman. A personal essay, "Push and Pull,"

## Visual Artist Series Continues With Sculptor Coyne Nov. 2

Petah Coyne, internationally known sculptor, will give a presentation about her work Thursday, Nov. 2 at 7:30 p.m. in Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center, as part of the Visual Artist Series at Plattsburgh State University.

Coyne's sculptures are intricate collections of unusual materials: woven horse hair tied like Irish lace for example. She has received numerous grants and fellowships including a National Endowment for the Arts grant, a John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship and a Pollack-Krasner Foundation Artist grant.

In an article in the September 1999 issue of *Art in America*, Janet Koplos described Coyne's work:

"For more than a decade, Petah Coyne has been known for her suspended sculptures. They're always characterized by great mass and extreme fragility achieved through labor-intensive processes – an unreasonable, fundamentally absurd combination, as if she were tempting the hand of fate."

The Visual Artist Series is sponsored by the Campus Arts Council and the Student Association. The presentation is free and open to the public.

about her son's departure for a study abroad semester in Tasmania, will be included in the upcoming book *Loving Ways to Connect with Your Kids*, which is being edited by Judy Nichols.

**Dr. M. Priscilla Myers**, assistant professor in educational studies and services,

has had a federal matching grant for the "Inexpensive Book Distribution Program: administered by Reading is Fundamental (RIF), Inc., originally awarded in July 1999, renewed for 2000-01. In addition, in July 2000, her RIF program was chosen to participate in the New York State Attorneys General Classroom Lending Library Project (AGCLL). She was also included among area K-12 educators recognized in an article, *Those Who Can, Teach*, Press-Republican, Oct. 8, 2000.



# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Oct. 27 - Nov. 9, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## *Notes of Interest:*

**Peer Recruiters Wanted.** The Office of Admissions is looking for currently enrolled students to spread the good word about Plattsburgh State University. The Peer Recruitment Program involves students returning to their former high schools during the upcoming winter recess. Peer recruiters meet with prospective students and share information about college life at Plattsburgh. Faculty and staff are invited to refer potential peer recruiters to the admissions office. Students interested in participating can also contact Jennifer or Rebecca in the admissions office at 564-2040. The admissions office has also scheduled three meetings for students interested in learning more about the program and to apply. The sessions will be held Sunday, Nov. 12 at 3 p.m. in the admissions office, 10th floor, Kehoe Administration Building; and Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 13 and 14, at 7 p.m. in the Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Friday, Oct. 27**

**7:30 a.m.-5 p.m.** Fall '00 Student Teaching Seminar, sponsored by the Office of Field Experience. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**12 p.m.-8 p.m.** Operation Empowerment! — A day of information and celebration, sponsored by the Center for Womyn's Concerns. Angell Center Courtyard.

**3 p.m.** Multicultural Visitation Program sponsored by the Admissions Office. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa meeting of the membership. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Come join our interfaith group for friends, faith, fun, and food. John XXIII Newman Center, Broad Street.

**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Student Directed one-act plays, sponsored by the Theatre Department. All seats \$1, on sale at the Angell center Desk. Myers Fine Arts Building Studio Theatre.

**11 p.m.** Halloween Party sponsored by Club Caribbean. Tickets: \$4 SA, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Saturday, Oct. 28**

**10 a.m.** Fall Open House Program sponsored by the Admissions Office. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.** Graduate Fair Open House sponsored by the Admissions Office. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7 p.m.** Presentation: "Creation, Science, and Faith Reconciled" sponsored by Intervarsity Christian Fellowship. Yokum Communications/Lecture Hall, Room 200.

**8 p.m.** Student Directed one-act plays, sponsored by the Theatre Department. All seats \$1, on sale at the Angell center Desk. Myers Fine Arts Building Studio Theatre.

### **Sunday, Oct. 29**

**2 p.m.** Club International Board meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the movies presents "What Lies Beneath," sponsored by the SA. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**9:15 p.m.** Sunday Night at the movies presents "What Lies Beneath," sponsored by the SA. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### **Monday, Oct. 30**

**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** El Pueblo bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** CWC weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### **Tuesday, Oct. 31**

**12 p.m.** Bible Study sponsored by Chi Alpha. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**12:30 p.m.** Hotel, Restaurant, Tourism (HRT) Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**12:30 p.m.** BACCHUS/GAMMA Interest Meetings. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**2 p.m.** Fall Career Workshop Series presents "Internships," sponsored by the Career and

Placement Center. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**4 p.m.** Faculty Senate Executive Committee meeting, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.-6 p.m.** Haunted House for children in the Plattsburgh Community, sponsored by Interfraternity Council. Angell College Center Meeting Room Corridor.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**8:30 p.m.** Management Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**8:30 p.m.** O.W.E. bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**10:15 p.m.** WQKE/WARP General Staff meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Wednesday, Nov. 1**

**8 a.m.** New Employee Information Session sponsored by Human Resources. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**10 a.m.-2:00 p.m.** YAI (National Institute for People with Disabilities) will be on campus to discuss opportunities with their organization, sponsored by the Career and Placement Center. Angell Center Lobby.

**12 p.m.** International Student Workshop sponsored by the Office of International Student Services. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**2 p.m.** Phi Delta Kappa meeting, open to members only. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4:30 p.m.** Campus Community Open Discussion with the President and Senior Administrators. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.



#### Thursday, Nov. 2

**12:15 p.m.** New Member Peer Pressure Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**12:25 p.m.** The Women's Studies Forum presents Ms. Kerry Foley speaking on "Arab and Berber Women in Morocco," sponsored by the Women's Studies Program with assistance from CAS. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**5 p.m.** Support Group for Adult Students, sponsored by the Center for Lifelong Learning. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**6:30 p.m.** Amnesty International Student Group weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsmans Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7 p.m.** Screening of acts for "Soul'd Out" Fundraiser, sponsored by the School of Business and Economics and Sigma Delta Tau Sorority. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**7:30 p.m.** Visual Artist Series sponsored by the Campus Arts Council. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Distinguished Visiting Alumni Program. Hawkins 153-B.

**7:30 p.m.** Greek Week meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** AKEBA bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.

#### Friday, Nov. 3

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**5 p.m.** Residence Hall Council Presidents' meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** "One Race, One People, One Peace" theatrical performance sponsored by AKEBA. Tickets: \$7 SA, \$10 faculty/staff, \$15 general admission, on sale at the Angell College Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**11 p.m.** AKEBA's Annual Black Student Union Festival presents a Pajama Party, with special guest performances. Tickets: \$4 SA, \$5 general admission, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Angell Center Warren Ballroom A.

#### Saturday, Nov. 4

**9 a.m.** Defensive Driving Course, sponsored

by the SA. \$20 registration fee, payable at the SA Office, Angell Center 2nd Floor. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** AKEBA's Annual Black Student Union Festival presents a Rap Session with special guest J.W. Wiley. Topic: "Reality Check — The Future is Now! How are you gonna git yours!" Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**10:30 p.m.** AKEBA's Annual Black Student Union Festival presents a Skating Party. Tickets: \$4 SA, \$5 general admission, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Includes van transportation from the Angell Center to Lake City Skate.

#### Sunday, Nov. 5

**5 p.m.** AKEBA's Annual Black Student Union Festival presents "Burst Your Belly Dinner." Tickets \$5 SA, \$7 general admission, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Newman Center, 92 Broad Street, Plattsburgh.

**8 p.m.** Armchair visits to HPI (Heifer Project International) Projects around the World, sponsored by the Center for Earth and Environmental Science, the Wellness Center and Project HELP. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

#### Monday, Nov. 6

**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

#### Tuesday, Nov. 7

**11 a.m.-1 p.m.** Project HELP information table. Angell Center Lobby.

**12 p.m.** Chi Alpha Bible Study. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**12:30 p.m.** BACCHUS/GAMMA interest meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**8:30 p.m.** Management club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

#### Wednesday, Nov. 8

**12 p.m.** Multicultural Clubs Presidents' meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**4:30 p.m.** Student Open Forum with the Presi-

dent and Senior Administrators. Angell College Center, Warren Ballrooms.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

#### Thursday, Nov. 9

**4:30 p.m.** Open Forum with the Provost. Dr. Patricia Higgins and Bob Davis, co-chairs of the Middle States Steering Committee, will discuss the Middle States Review. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6:30 p.m.** Amnesty International Student Group weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

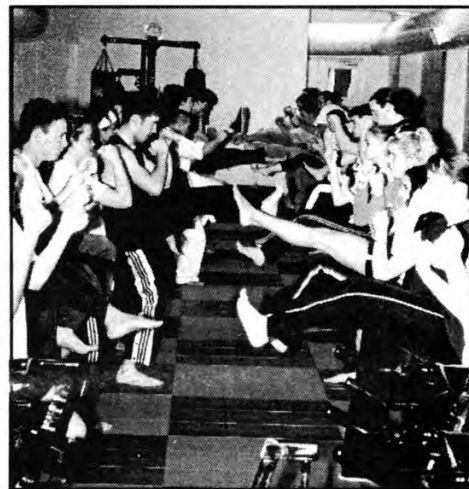
**7 p.m.** Sportsmans Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6..

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

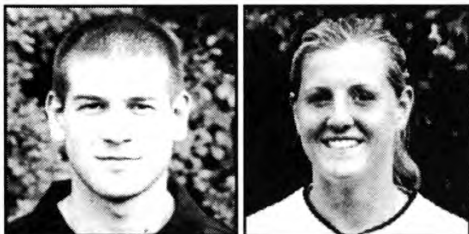
**8:30 p.m.** Club Caribbean bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.



The Department of Sport and Wellness Recreation Program is sponsoring a new martial arts class this semester Monday and Wednesday nights at 8:30 p.m. in the new activity room on the bottom level of Memorial Hall. David Boise, a master level instructor who has been training for the last 25 years and is a first degree black belt in Chinese Kempo, teaches students basic stances, punches, open-hand strikes, blocking, slipping and evasion, and kicking for the street and competition. Special classes are also available to train more advanced students, and workshops will be offered throughout the year in self-defense. The Martial Arts Program is open to students, faculty and staff. For more information, call the Department of Sport and Wellness at 564-3140.



## Hettinger, Marten Named Athletes of The Week



Hettinger

Marten

Sophomores Craig Hettinger of the men's soccer team and Tara Marten of the women's soccer team were named Athletes of the Week for the week ending Oct. 15.

Hettinger earned this honor for his performances against Castleton, Geneseo, and Brockport. The sophomore from Hopewell Junction, N.Y. scored three goals during the three-game stretch including the game winners versus Castleton and SUNY Brockport.

Marten, from Schaghticoke, N.Y., earned this week's honor for her performance against Geneseo and Brockport.

She was pivotal in both wins as a key defensive player for the Cardinals. The full back was particularly exceptional in preserving the 1-0 shutout versus Brockport.

### Men's Soccer

#### **Cardinals Seeded Second in SUNYAC Tournament**

Fredonia will certainly be on the minds of many members of the men's soccer team, but Head Coach Chris Waterbury knows to take each game one at a time.

The semifinals will begin Nov. 3 at the Hall of Fame Field in Oneonta State with No. 1 seed Fredonia taking on No. 4 seed Geneseo State at 11 a.m. The Cardinals face Oswego State, the No. 3 seed, at 1:30 p.m.

The semi-final winners will square off on Saturday at 1 p.m. to determine the SUNYAC champion.

The winner of the SUNYAC Tournament receives an automatic bid to the NCAA Division III Tournament.

## Cardinal Weekly Wrap Up

### *Men's, Women's Swimming Opens Season in New Paltz*

The Plattsburgh State men's and women's swim teams kicked off their 2000-01 season on the road at SUNY New Paltz. The men finished fourth out of six teams while the women finished last in the competitive six-team field. The men finished fourth in every relay except the 4x50 butterfly where the Cardinals secured second place. The women placed fourth in the 4x50 breaststroke and the 4x50 breaststroke relays.

### *Women's Soccer Team Wins Back-to-Back SUNYAC Games*

The women's soccer team defeated Brockport 1-0 and then dominated Potsdam 6-1 three days later on the road. The surging Cardinals also played stellar defensive on Saturday, Oct. 14 against Brockport in front of a supportive homecoming crowd. Zoey D'Arienzo scored the only goal of the game during the second half. Plattsburgh continued their momentum into Potsdam as Jackie Todd, Leah Puckett, and Alicen Knapp each scored two goals.

### *Cross Country Teams Compete in SUNYAC Tournament*

Kelly Duffy placed third overall and paced the women's cross country team to a fourth-place finish in the 2000 SUNYAC Cross Country Championships. Teammate Amy Tolosky finished second for Plattsburgh and sixth overall. The men's team placed sixth overall and was led by Matt Drowne who placed seventh in the event. Geneseo won both the men's and women's titles.

### *Women's Tennis Makes First Ever Appearance in State Finals*

The women's tennis team made its first ever appearance in the NYS Women's Division III Championships held at Cornell University Oct. 13-15. All six singles players were eliminated during the first round. However, two doubles teams won first-round matches before bowing out in the quarterfinals.

### *Women's Volleyball Earns SUNYAC Berth*

The women's volleyball team received a berth into the 2000 SUNYAC championships by virtue of its third-place finish in the SUNY Eastern Pool Play Divisional Tournament held at SUNY New Paltz Oct. 13-14. The Cardinals recently placed fourth in the 2000 Cardinal Classic held at Memorial Hall Oct. 20-21.

### Men's Hockey

#### **Cardinals Ranked Number One in National Pre-Season Poll Plattsburgh Opens at home against Humber College Oct. 28**

The Plattsburgh State Men's Ice Hockey Team will take to the ice this weekend as the number one team in the nation according to the U.S. College Hockey Online poll released Tuesday, Oct. 17.

With several key players returning this season, the Cardinals will look to improve upon their third-place finish in last year's NCAA Division III Tournament. Plattsburgh ended the 1999-00 season with a 26-4-3 record. The Cardinals have won four straight SUNYAC championships, 14 SUNYAC titles overall and have made 14 NCAA appearances, eight of them coming in the '90s.

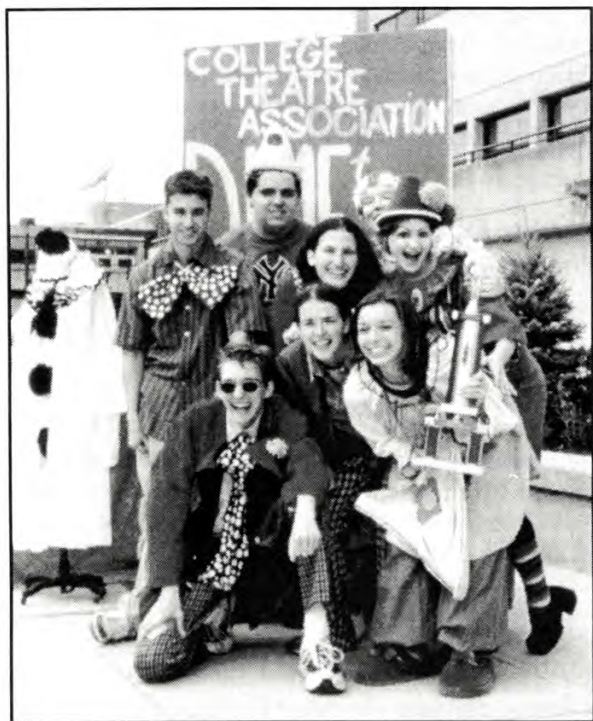
"Norwich was picked No. 1 in last year's (preseason) poll and they went on to win the national championship," said Head Coach Bob Emery. "It would be nice if that happens again."

The Cardinals host Humber College Sat., Oct. 28th at 7pm.





# Homecoming 2000 in Pictures



Upper left: The class of 1935 was represented by (from l-r): Thomas McGrath, Dorothy (Helie) McKinley and Enid Daniels.

Upper right: Dr. Edgar Barton talks about the *Amitie* artist, William King, during his comments at the Amitie Plaza Dedication Ceremony Saturday, Oct. 14.

Middle left: The College Theatre Association won the Best Overall Mardi Gras Booth Award, presented by the Alumni Association. More than 25 student organizations participated in the Mardi Gras Family Festival in Amitie Plaza.

Middle right: The Prism Concert held on Friday, Oct. 13 continues to be a Homecoming Weekend favorite for alumni, students, faculty, staff and the community.

Lower left: Homecoming took on a new look this year, offering up a grand time for all — alumni, students and the community — at the Mardi Gras Festival.

Lower right: Leith Bardon (center) and Sean Morgan (right), standing with alumni members of the rugby team, were presented plaques honoring their years of service and continued support of the rugby program.



# focus on Plattsburgh

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## Nursing Program Reports High Pass Rate for National Exam

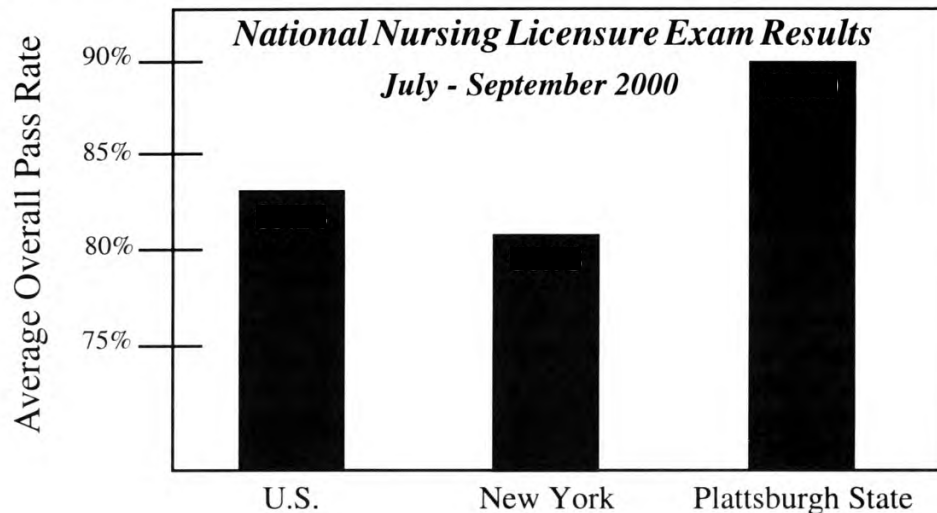
Ninety percent of those nursing students who graduated from Plattsburgh State last May passed the NCLEX national licensure examination for nurses to become registered nurses.

Eighteen nursing graduates took the exam between July and September and 90 percent passed. The average overall New York pass rate was 80.78 percent and the average overall national pass rate was 83.24 percent.

Dr. Gretchen Beebe, professor and chairperson of nursing, food and nutrition, said that the 90 percent represents a 10-percent improvement in the pass rate from last year for the same quarter.

"The faculty has been working hard for the last five years to improve the pass rate, and we have implemented several strategies," said Beebe.

Last year, the nursing program offered a non-credit NCLEX review seminar for all



seniors as one such strategy. The seminar covers material from the clinical courses to help prepare the students for the exam.

"We really feel that the seminar has led to our success," said Beebe.

The exam can be taken at any time throughout the year and anywhere in the country. It is a computer-generated test and there is no set time for how long the exam takes.

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## Communication Department Chosen as Pilot Site for National Program

The Department of Communication at Plattsburgh State has joined forces with more than 30 other colleges and community groups across the United States to form "Communicating Common Ground."

It is the first national service-learning initiative to unite college students, faculty and community groups in providing multicultural education to pre-school through 12th-grade students.

Students enrolled in the spring semester COM417 course, "Communication and Culture," will work with students at Stafford Middle School in Plattsburgh. Lori Walters-Kramer, lecturer in communication, teaches the course.

Walters-Kramer and Betsy Lynch, En-

glish teacher at Stafford and adjunct instructor of English at Plattsburgh State, are the project directors.

Plattsburgh State was selected to be a pilot site for the project after responding to a national call last spring.

Communicating Common Ground is a cooperative effort developed by the National Communication Association (NCA), the Southern Poverty Law Center, Campus



Walters-Kramer

Compact and the American Association for Higher Education.

The project integrates the interests of the four sponsoring organizations – educating youth to embrace the advantages of a diverse society, encouraging partnerships between higher education and elementary/secondary education and promoting service-learning as a tool to enhance student learning and civic responsibility.

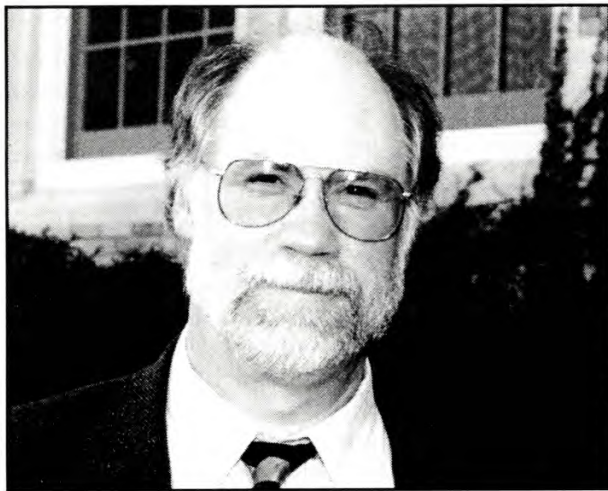
Communication and Culture is a special topics course that focuses on the symbolic construction of culture.

Topics discussed in the class include interpersonal and public discourses, music, performances and film and how these create

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President Horace Judson (left) accepts a check from Norman Hughes (middle), account sales representative for Pepsi-Cola Keeseville Bottling Co., in the amount of \$20,000. The gift is the fourth of a five-year, \$100,000 total commitment from Pepsi to fund student scholarships through the Plattsburgh College Foundation, Field House advertising and the Pepsi Cardinal Classic Tournaments for Plattsburgh State's soccer, hockey and basketball teams. Also pictured is Larry Cowan (right), director of corporate and athletic development.



Roy Scheller '76 had a full schedule back on campus as a Distinguished Visiting Alumnus Nov. 1-3. Traveling from Alaska where he is the deputy director of Hope Community Resources, Inc. in Anchorage, Scheller spent time talking to classes and recruiting students for summer practicum placements at Hope. He also gave a public presentation Nov. 2 on the work Hope is doing for the developmentally disabled in Alaska. Scheller is a leading advocate of the full inclusion of persons with developmental disabilities in the community.

## ***Adventurer, Climber Wilcox To Speak Nov. 15***

Adventurer and mountain climber Richard Wilcox will present a slide show Wednesday, Nov. 15 at 8 p.m. in the Hawkins Recital Hall of his April 2000 expedition in Tibet.

Wilcox is an avid explorer and has climbed some of the highest peaks in the world including a 1991 trek up Mount Everest, a 1996 expedition in Pakistan and two trips, in 1998 and 1999, to Nepal.

After a warm-up hike in the Everest region of Nepal, Wilcox and his expedition members flew to Lhasa, the capital of ancient Tibet, and rode in jeeps across the Tibetan plateau to the base of Cho Oyu, the sixth highest peak in the world at 8,201 meters. Wilcox led the team in a six-week climb up the mountain last spring. His slide show will present images from this latest adventure in the Himalayans.

He is currently the president and primary team leader of Mountain Rescue Service, Inc., which is a technical team that has performed more than 250 rescues on rock cliffs and ice faces since 1972. He is also the president of International Mountain Equipment and the vice president of the International Mountain Climbing School.

The presentation is sponsored by The Adirondack Experience with assistance from College Auxiliary Services and is free and open to the public.

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or maintain a cultural community.

The Plattsburgh State students will present information regarding culture and communication to the middle school students, guide student activities and facilitate an after-school conference on communication and culture.

"This is a wonderful opportunity for Plattsburgh State students to be engaged in the learning process and in the community," said Walters-Kramer. "They will be asked to connect course concepts to their experiences and practices at Stafford Middle School and are invited to critique or modify theory based on these experiences."

During the semester, Plattsburgh State students will give presentations to the middle school children on topics such as intercultural communication, food and cultural rituals, gender and communication, culture and music, and diversity issues in Plattsburgh. Walters-Kramer and Lynch are planning

other ways for the college students and middle school students to interact with each other.

"We are also thinking about asking the college students to mentor Stafford students and perhaps facilitate small group discussions," said Walters-Kramer. "During these discussions, the Stafford students can discuss issues such as their experiences with diversity, their experiences in communities outside of Plattsburgh, their perspectives about incentives to diversify institutions, etc."

An after-school conference will give the Stafford students an opportunity to present information to the Plattsburgh State students and instructors.

"We would like the Stafford students to investigate some topic that they could discuss at these after-school conferences at which all those involved with the project would be present along with interested parents, faculty and administrators," Walters-Kramer said.

Walters-Kramer said that there are six goals for the college students through this program.

These goals are to: develop an appreciation for community service; enhance public speaking, small group and interpersonal communications skills; develop and assess activities and/or presentations that are designed to assist middle school students better understand communication and culture as well as issues related to racial and gender diversity; connect communication theory to practice; develop an appreciation for transformative learning experiences by recognizing that learning is reciprocal; and gain a critical self and social consciousness.

"I am looking forward to collaborating with Betsy, who has been involved with the Southern Poverty Law Center's Teaching Tolerance Program for several years," said Walters-Kramer. "This is a rich learning opportunity for everyone involved."



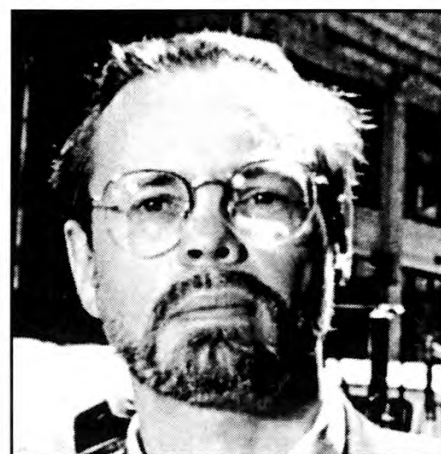
## Charles Kernaghan to Speak Nov. 14 During Labor Rights Action Week

The nearest sweatshop may be thousands of miles away, but Charles Kernaghan wants everyone to know that many of the clothes, shoes, and other products sold in America are assembled in Central America, the Caribbean, China and other developing countries. He especially wants everyone to know this during Labor Rights Action Week, Nov. 13 – 17 at Plattsburgh State.

Kernaghan, the executive director of the National Labor Committee, will speak at Plattsburgh State Tuesday, Nov. 14, at 8 p.m. in the E. Glenn Glitz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall as part of the Presidents' Speaker Series. His speech is free and open to the public and is the last lecture this semester in the series, which is sponsored by the presidents of Plattsburgh State, the Student Association and College Auxiliary Services.

The NLC is an independent, non-profit human-rights organization focused on the protection of worker rights. Under Kernaghan's directorship, the NLC has taken the lead role in bringing the issue of sweatshop abuses and child labor to the American people, drawing national attention to the problem. Kernaghan became involved in the struggle to defend international labor rights after participating in a peace march through Central America in December 1985. He became the director of the NLC in 1990.

Kernaghan has led numerous fact-finding missions to Central America and the Caribbean – most recently bringing a delegation of U.S. university students to investigate working condition in the free trade zones. He and the NLC have also hosted U.S. tours of workers from Honduras, El Salvador, Haiti and China.



Kernaghan

### *Local Group Draws Attention to Sweatshop Abuse*

A group of students, faculty and staff at Plattsburgh State are drawing attention in the local community to the issue of sweatshop abuse.

The group, calling itself Labor Rights Action (LRA), along with the campus CSEA and UUP chapters, Gamma Theta Upsilon and the Northeast Central Labor Council AFL-CIO want to ensure that apparel sold at Plattsburgh State be manufactured by responsible employers and not in sweatshop conditions.

LRA, CSEA and UUP have circulated petitions around campus urging Plattsburgh State "to endorse and support the New York State Labor-Religion code of conduct with regards to sweatshops."

The petitions request that all college entities not purchase products and services or invest in companies that utilize poverty wages, oppressive working conditions and child labor. Petition signers are

also requesting that University officials pledge to assist in helping educate and raise awareness on the issue.

Barbara Evans, a senior majoring in women's studies and history and president of the group, said that almost 1,000 individuals have signed the petition.

Jerry Decelle, directors of the College Stores, said that he has received assurances from all of the store's suppliers that the apparel sold in the store is not produced under sweatshop conditions.

"Our vendors know how important this issue is to students attending colleges and universities across the United States and have taken it upon themselves to supply us with notifications of their commitment to maintaining higher standards of human rights in their production operations.

"Some vendors have even gone as far as disclosing their worldwide manufacturing facilities even though it could prove to be a

competitive disadvantage to them," said Decelle.

In addition to the petition, the four groups will be sponsoring a discussion by Brian O'Shaughnessey of the New York Labor-Religion Coalition on "Sweatshops: Local and Global Connections" at 8 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 15 in the Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

All students and clubs were invited to submit an entry for the Labor Rights Poster Contest.

The posters will be judged in three categories. The first place entry in each category will receive an award of \$50 while the second-place entry will receive \$25 in cash, which was being provided by the Labor Council and UUP. All entries will be placed on display Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 14 and 15, in the Angell College Center Warren Ballroom B. An awards ceremony is scheduled at noon on Nov. 15.

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"The exam tests the knowledge that's needed to deliver safe nursing care," said Beebe. "Students have to make judgements – what is the best course of action to take, what to do first. It tests critical thinking skills."

Plattsburgh State President Horace Judson said the numbers are a validation of the outstanding nursing program the university offers to students who want to pursue a career in nursing.

"The results of the national exam taken



Beebe

leading programs at Plattsburgh State that is

by our graduates are another external academic indicator of how well Plattsburgh State prepares students for their professions," said Judson. "Nursing is one of many

highly successful. I am proud of our graduates for passing the exams and the faculty for their hard work and dedication to our students."

Beebe said that the nursing program hopes to continue the non-credit seminar and that it will result in increasing pass rates for Plattsburgh State nursing graduates.

"We're all very proud of the graduates, we really are," Beebe said. "We'll do all that we can to help future classes do well."

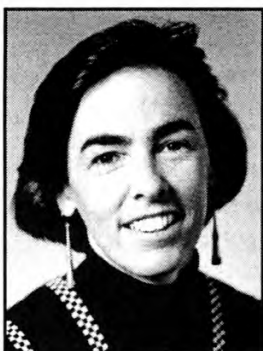


# Women's Studies Director Edits New Book on Consumer Culture

Dr. Jennifer Scanlon, professor and director of women's studies, has a new book on the bookstore shelves.

*The Gender and Consumer Culture Reader* is a collection of readings and archival materials that explore the multiple and contradictory ways in which women and men consume. As editor, she worked on the book for about a year and a half.

"I read widely in the field of consumer culture studies and chose the articles based



Scanlon

on thematic considerations," said Scanlon.

The basic issue discussed in the book is the relationship between gender and consumer culture. It seeks to answer the question, "How and in what ways are women and men invited to participate in consumer culture?"

Topics in the book range from white middle-class female shoplifters to the gendered depiction of Native Americans in 19th-century advertising, from gay men's acquisition of

domestic space in early 20th-century New York to black and Latino men's cultural resistance through dress.

"This book will largely be used in college classes in a variety of fields," Scanlon said. "The New York University Press has asked me to consider writing a companion volume to this edited volume, and I am now reading further and thinking about how I might structure such a book."

This is Scanlon's fourth book. She has gained a national reputation as a scholar of consumer culture and is invited to speak on consumer culture at institutions around the country.

## Visual Artist Series Presents Painter Gary Chapman Nov. 16

The Visual Artist Series continues this semester with a presentation by painter Gary Chapman, an associate professor of art at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB), Thursday, Nov. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

In the past 10 years while teaching at UAB, Chapman has had 22 solo exhibitions of his work with institutions such as The Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts, University of Cincinnati, University of Georgia and the University of Miami. He has also participated in numerous group and invitational exhibitions with regional, national and international venues.

A significant influence on his work is traditional chiaroscuro painting, which joins and contrasts contemporary and personal content with historic religious painting.

He has received numerous grants and fellowships including a Visual Arts Fellowship from the National Endowment for the Arts and a grant from the Alabama State Council on the Arts. His work has been reviewed extensively and published in more than 20 catalogs and books including the Number III Edition of *New American Paintings*.

The Visual Artist Series is sponsored by the Campus Arts Council and the Student Association. The presentation is free and open to the public.

## College Council Meeting Nov. 16

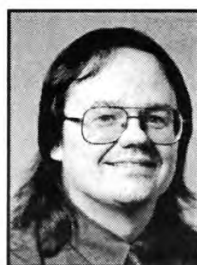
The College Council will hold its next scheduled meeting on Thursday, Nov. 16, at 4 p.m. in the Alumni Conference Room, Hawkins Hall.

In addition to the regular reports, the Council members will hear a discussion on the 2000 Winter Commencement. They will also hear about a recent visit to EPCOT Center by college track and field athletes and will take action on a resolution commending the men's soccer team on winning the SUNYAC championship.

The meeting is open to the campus community and the public.



Carpentier



Hornibrook



Sundaram

**Michele Carpentier**, director of Student Support Services, was presented with the Barbara Christie Sweeney Professional Services Award by the New York Counseling Association at its convention Oct. 19-20 in Syracuse. The award recognizes individuals who have been active in either secondary or post-secondary education and who best demonstrate professional commitment to counseling in all levels of education as well as an understanding of how global concepts benefit clients.

**Dr. Jeff Hornibrook**, assistant professor in the history department, organized and participated in a panel for the New York Conference on Asian Studies held at the College of St. Rose, Albany, Oct. 20-21. His paper, "A Tale of Two Cities: Nationalism and Class-Consciousness in a Mining Community," was part of the panel "Chinese Urbanization and Urban Life Under Western Influence." Hornibrook will also have an article, "Local Elites and Mechanized Mining in China: The Case of the Wen Lineage

in Pingxiang County, Jiangxi," published next year in the journal *Modern China*.

**Dr. Chandar Sundaram**, adjunct assistant professor in the history department, has recently completed an article, "Seditious Letters and Steel Helmets: Disaffection Among Indian Troops in

Singapore and Hong Kong, 1940-1941, and the Creation of the Indian National Army," to be published in a memorial volume honoring the late McGill University professor, Dr. Robert Vogel. In addition, Sundaram has completed a series of entries dealing with the social history of warfare in South Asia for publication in *The World Military Encyclopedia*.





# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Nov. 10 - Nov. 20, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## *Notes of Interest:*

**Plattsburgh State Fraternities and Sororities** will host the second annual A Week to GIVE (Greeks Interacting and Volunteering Everyday). The event is a week of service-based projects coordinated by the participating fraternities and sororities. A Week to GIVE is Nov. 13-17 and includes a community canned food drive, a speaker on the issue of sexual responsibility and participation in the Great American Smokeout. Donations of canned foods will be accepted at the Angell College Center Information Desk throughout the entire week.

### **Friday, Nov. 10**

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**5 p.m.** Greek Presidents' Council Dinner, open to members only, sponsored by Campus Life. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Newman Center, 92 Broad Street, Plattsburgh.  
**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**7 p.m.** InterVarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**8 p.m.** College Chorale and Cardinal Singers Fall Concert sponsored by the Campus Arts Council, Music Council and the Music Department. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### **Saturday, Nov. 11**

**4 p.m.** RAP Session for members of TEAM — the mentoring program sponsored by the Diversity Center. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**6:15 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club Movie Night. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### **Sunday, Nov. 12**

**12 p.m.** Bible Study sponsored by Chi Alpha. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.  
**2 p.m.** Induction Ceremony for the Zeta Rho chapter of Alpha Sigma Lambda, the adult student honor society. Cardinal

Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**6:45 p.m.** SA Sunday Night at the Movies presents "Nutty Professor 2 — The Klumps." Open to campus, free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.  
**9:15 p.m.** SA Sunday Night at the Movies presents "Nutty Professor 2 — The Klumps." Open to campus, free admission for SA Members, \$2 for faculty/staff. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### **Monday, Nov. 13**

**11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** The Great American Smokeout Campaign sponsored by PSU Greeks and the Wellness Center. Angell Center Lobby.  
**7 p.m.** El Pueblo bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.  
**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**7 p.m.** Peer Recruitment Training sponsored by the Admissions Office. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**8:00 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**8:00 p.m.** Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### **Tuesday, Nov. 14**

**11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** The Great American Smokeout Campaign sponsored by PSU Greeks and the Wellness Center. (The

campaign continues through the week.) Angell Center Lobby.  
**12 p.m.** Chi Alpha Bible Study. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.  
**12:30 p.m.** BACCHUS/GAMMA interest meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**12:30 p.m.** HRT Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**4 p.m.** Greek Leadership Series Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**4:30 p.m.** Marketing Club Guest Speaker Series presentation. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**4:30 p.m.** Faculty Senate Meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**7 p.m.** Peer Recruitment Training sponsored by the Admissions Office. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.  
**8 p.m.** The Presidents' Speakers Series presents Charles Kernaghan, Executive Director of the National Labor Committee, speaking on "Fighting Child Labor and Sweatshop Abuse." Sponsored by the Offices of the Presidents: PSU, CAS, SA. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.  
**8:30 p.m.** Management Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**8:30 p.m.** Talent show and Party sponsored by Hood Hall. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**8:30 p.m.** OWE bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**10:15 p.m.** WQKE/WARP general staff meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.



### **Wednesday, Nov. 15**

**12:15 p.m.** Order of Omega meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**6 p.m.** College Theatre Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7 p.m.** Viewing of the film "Do the Right Thing" followed by a discussion. Sponsored by the Center for Diversity, Pluralism and Inclusion. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**7:30 p.m.** "Better Grades in Less Time," sponsored by Panhellenic Council with assistance from CAS, SA, Campus Life. Angell Center Warren Ballroom A.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**8 p.m.** "Six Characters in Search of an Author," written by Luigi Pirandello and sponsored by the College Theatre Department. Tickets: \$1 SA, \$5 senior citizens, faculty/staff and non-PSU students, \$8 general admission, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** Guest speaker Brian O'Shaughnessy, co-chair of the NY State Labor-Religion Coalition will talk on "Sweatshops: Local and Global Connections, sponsored by UUP and the Geography Honor Society. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Public presentation including a slide show by Rick Wilcox, sponsored by the Adirondack Experience Program. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Thursday, Nov. 16**

**12:15 p.m.** New Member Peer Pressure Workshop sponsored by Campus Life. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**12:25 p.m.** The Women's Studies Forum presents the students of Gender Politics, PSC 324, speaking on "Gender politics Reviews Election 2000." Sponsored by the Women's Studies Program with assistance from CAS. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** College Council Meeting, Alumni

Conference Room, Hawkins Hall.

**4:30 p.m.** Guest Speaker sponsored by Sigma Xi. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6:30 p.m.** Viewing of a human rights documentary film, sponsored by Amnesty International. Yokum 208.

**6:30 p.m.** Amnesty International Student Group weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsman's Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7:30 p.m.** Visual Artist Series sponsored by the Campus Arts Council. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Greek Week meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**8 p.m.** AKEBA's bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Presentation of STD's sponsored by the PSU Fraternities and Sororities. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Friday, Nov. 17**

**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa meeting of the membership. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**5 p.m.** Residence Hall Council Presidents' meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Newman Center, 92 Broad Street, Plattsburgh.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Symphonic Band Fall Concert sponsored by the Music Department. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### **Saturday, Nov. 18**

**10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.** Bus to Montreal sponsored by Campus Life. Bus departs from the Angell College Center, Rugar Street pull-off and travels to Dorchester Square, in the heart of the shopping district. Departs Montreal at 5:30 p.m. Tickets: \$10 round trip for coach bus transportation, on sale at the Angell Center Desk.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**6:15 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club Movie Night. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### **Sunday, Nov. 19**

**7 p.m.** International Programs and Exchanges Student Forum, sponsored by the Office of International Programs. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Monday, Nov. 20**

**8 a.m.** Genetics Workshop sponsored by the Center for Teacher Education. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.

**6:30 p.m.** "JFK" the Movie, presented by the History Club and Phi Alpha Theta. Yokum Lecture Hall, Room 202.

**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### ***Correction:***

In the last issue of Focus (Oct. 28, 2000), the amounts of the Gates Millennium Scholarships for Kany Joa and ShaQuanna Sterling were inadvertently omitted. Both students were awarded approximately \$1,300 per semester for the 2000-01 academic year.



## Men's Soccer Team Wins Third Straight SUNYAC Championship

Junior Chris Beck may have scored the most important goal to date in his three years as a Cardinal. Plattsburgh State claimed the SUNYAC championship over Geneseo 2-1 Nov. 4 to win its third conference title and received an automatic bid into the NCAA Division III tournament.

Beck took a corner kick from teammate Andrew Rogers and headed the ball past the Geneseo netminder with just 23 seconds left in regulation.

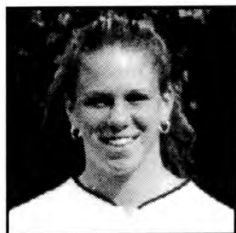
"It was a strange goal," said Beck. "We were playing to beat their keeper to the ball all game long on our corner kicks."

The Cardinals defeated Oswego the day before on penalty kicks to advance to the NCAA tournament.

Plattsburgh will travel to St. Lawrence on Saturday, Nov. 11 to take on Hamilton College in a NCAA Northeast Regional Divisional game.

### Women's Soccer

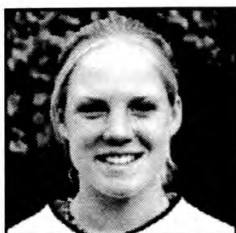
#### Three Cardinals Named to SUNYAC All-Conference Team



Megan Geary  
1st Team



Leah Puckett  
2nd Team



Shanna Saunders  
2nd Team



Kerry Niessing  
Honorable Mention

## Cardinal Weekly Wrap Up

### Men's Rugby Club Team Celebrates 25th Year, Goes Undefeated

The Plattsburgh State Rugby Club completed its regular season undefeated and placed third in the state tournament, which qualified the team for the Northeast regionals. In the regionals, the team played Middlebury College Nov. 4 and came up short after a long game.

"We played them tough, then they kind of got the best of us," said Josh Williams, the team's captain.

Williams, Guillermo Morales and Steve Charles were named to the New York State All-Star Rugby Team.



team photo by Greg Haberstro

Williams said the team is expecting to do even better next year as the team is only losing three of 25 players on the current roster.

### *Men's Ice Hockey Jumps Out To 3-0 Start*

The men's hockey team wasted little time convincing its opponents that it is indeed the number one team in the nation in Division III. The Cardinals won their opener at home Oct. 28 against Humber College of Toronto by the score of 7-2. Last year's SUNYAC Rookie of the Year Brendon Hodge scored three goals in the game. Plattsburgh took to the road this past weekend to open its SUNYAC title defense and won a 6-0 shutout over Fredonia and 13-2 drubbing of Buffalo State. The Cardinals will travel to Geneseo this Friday and to Brockport the following night. Both games are scheduled for a 7 p.m. start.

### *Men's, Women's Swimming Opens at Home Against St. Rose*

The men's swim team opened the 2000 home season with a meet against College of St. Rose Nov. 4. The men were led by Ryan Bremser and Andy Johnson as Plattsburgh outclassed St. Rose 135 to 62. The Cardinals, who qualified 10 swimmers for the SUNYAC Championships in March, won every event except the 200 freestyle.

The women's swim team also had its home opener against College of St. Rose Nov. 4. The Lady Cardinal swimmers came up short as St. Rose edged them 115-73 in their dual meet. The Cardinals are currently without their number one swimmer, Amanda Quayle, who is out indefinitely after undergoing surgery this fall. Plattsburgh did qualify three women to the SUNYAC meet: Emily Zitzmann, Jean Larson, and Kate Thompson all received invitations for the March 2001 event.

### *Men's Cross Country Finishes Seventh in ECAC Meet*

The men's cross country team competed in the ECAC Division III championships at Tufts University Nov. 4 and finished in seventh place out of the 33 teams. Plattsburgh finished with 260 points and was paced by Dan Chase, who placed 28th with a time of 28:14. Host Tufts University won the overall event.

### Women's Volleyball

#### Faden Named to SUNYAC All-Conference Team

Sophomore Terry Faden of the women's volleyball team was honored as a member of the SUNYAC All-Conference team. Faden led the team in assists during the season as she was continuously called upon to set up most of the points for Plattsburgh.

The Cardinals finished the season with an overall record of 18-22. Plattsburgh will look to contend next year as this season's young squad does not possess any juniors or seniors on the roster.



# Community Service Scholarships Awarded to 11 Students

Eleven freshmen have received Plattsburgh State's Community Service Scholarships for the 2000-01 academic year.

Recipients of these scholarships are required to work 10-12 hours of community service per week throughout the academic year.



Byrne

In return, they receive \$1,000 off their tuition for the year from the Plattsburgh College Foundation, a 50 percent room waiver for on-campus housing for two semesters and \$200 off a meal plan for on-campus students from College Auxiliary Services.

William Laundry, dean of students, said that Plattsburgh State has a strong commitment to the ideals and values associated with providing service to others.

"One of our primary objectives as a college is to engender a distinctive set of student values focused on civic responsibility, particularly in service, ethics and leadership," said Laundry. "Community service experiences will enhance the overall collegiate experience and also prepare the students in the practices of good citizenship that are so important for life beyond college."

New freshman and transfer students are eligible for the scholarship. Criteria for freshman include at least an 85 percent high school average and demonstration of a commitment to community service. Transfer students must have at least a 2.8 g.p.a. from the transfer institution and also a commitment to community service.

For the 2000-01 academic year, there were 52 applicants for the scholarship with 10 scholarships offered in April and one additional scholarship offered in May.

John Carothers, vice president for institutional advancement, said that the Plattsburgh College Foundation is seeking scholarships that will allow the Foundation to advance its support of student service.

"Last year, the Foundation established its first endowment to support community service scholarships. We also received a \$2,500 gift to make possible an additional scholarship for this year.

"We have received pledges this year for two new community service scholarships. These pledges will allow the Foundation to pay the tuition portion and the room waiver and meal plan," said Carothers.

The students are serving their community service in a number of sites including Cumberland Head Elementary School, CVPH Medical Center, the City of Plattsburgh Parks and Recreation Service and St. John's Elementary School.

Another feature of the scholarship program is the opportunity for the students to receive one academic credit during the fall semester. All scholarship recipients are enrolled in a special section of the College's Freshman Experience Program.

The students meet on a weekly basis to discuss issues surrounding community service and are required to complete several readings and keep a weekly journal of their community service activities.

Katie Byrne, a freshman from Warwick, N.Y., is doing her community service at St. John's Elementary School. Byrne said she is excited to be a recipient of the community service scholarship.

"It's an awesome opportunity," said Byrne. "I get to work within my major, elementary and special education. The scholarship gives me experience and besides that, it's fun."

## Scholarship Recipients (2000-01)

Tom Azzarella, Williamsville, N.Y. – City of Plattsburgh  
Parks and Recreation Service

Christine Buckla, Camillus, N.Y. – CVPH

Katie Byrne, Warwick, N.Y. – St. Johns

Tricia Cousins, Putnam Valley, N.Y. – YMCA

Kejuan Greene, Brooklyn, N.Y. – CVPH

Rebekah Herrick, Brandon, Vt. – CVPH

Aniekea McFarlane, Bronx, N.Y. – St. Johns

Morgana Mroz, Smithtown, N.Y. – St. Johns

Jessica Putnam, Tribes Hill, N.Y. – St. Johns

Amanda Towle, Malone, N.Y. – Cumberland Head Elementary School

Man Gui Yu, Brooklyn, N.Y. – CVPH

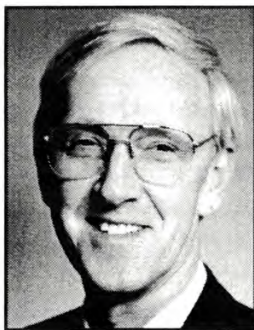
## Technical Assistance Center Receives National Recognition For Project

The Technical Assistance Center (SUNY-TAC) received an Honorable Mention Award from the National Association of Management and Technical Assistance Centers (NAMTAC) under the organization's Outstanding Projects of the Year category.

SUNY-TAC worked collaboratively with the United Way of Clinton and Essex Counties and other community organizations to complete the Compass Survey.

The survey is an annual comprehensive community needs assessment aimed at gathering the community's input and opinion regarding the need for various social, human and health services.

"Specifically, the survey asks about the community's perceptions of problems such as drugs, youth programs, teenage pregnancy



Glass

and alcohol use, among many others," said Wayne Glass, director of SUNY-TAC. "The survey asks how well respondents believe these problems are being dealt with and answered by community organizations."

The United Way and other agencies use the Compass Survey to help identify priorities and design programs to meet community needs. SUNY-TAC assisted in the design and administration of the survey and compiled data from the survey's results.

NAMTAC holds an annual competition of projects from among its member organizations throughout the country. Projects are recognized for how well they contribute to the improvement of a community's economic and social well being and the value added by the nominated organization. Glass attended the 25th annual NAMTAC meeting in October and accepted the award on behalf of TAC.

"The United Way does truly remarkable work in our community, and we were pleased we could play a constructive role in helping them better serve Clinton and Essex counties," said Glass.



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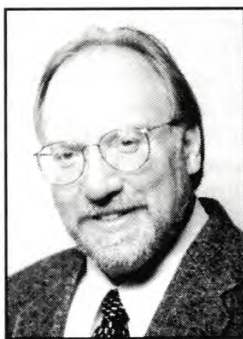
## Research Group Receives \$105,000 Canadian Grant

*Three Plattsburgh State Faculty Members Part of International Research Group*

Three faculty members at Plattsburgh State are part of an international research group based in Canada that has been awarded a \$105,000 grant over the next three years to study the transcultural identities in North and South America.

The research group has been awarded the grant by the Social Services and Humanities Research Council, a Canadian federal government agency.

Dr. James Csipak, associate professor of management and marketing, Dr. Lise Heroux, associate professor of management and marketing, and Dr. Donald



Csipak



Heroux



Cuccioletta

Cuccioletta, visiting assistant professor in Canadian Studies and International Programs, are members of the Canadian-based Interdisciplinary Research Group on

Americaness (IRGA).

The group also includes three members from the Quebec National Institute of Scientific Research and one from the University of Quebec in Montreal.

In the first year of the grant, IRGA will sponsor a colloquium on transcultural identities in the Americas in Montreal April 9-10,

2001.

Csipak said that the colloquium will be an international event.

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## Computer Software Upgrades and Training Begins

Special software training has been contracted to support Plattsburgh State's adoption of Microsoft Office 2000. The training will start with the CSEA staff.

This is one of the five strategic planning proposals that was recommended to President Horace Judson has begun implementation.

"I am happy to announce that we are moving forward on the software upgrades and training proposal that was recommended to me as part of the strategic planning days last spring," said Judson. "Knowing how to successfully use this software upgrade will ultimately be helpful in the office environment."

As part of the upgrade, Office 2000 will be installed on computers of those staff members registering for training workshops.

A trainer will come to campus to present three-hour

workshops on a number of Office 2000 applications. These workshops will be offered on campus at no cost to those who want to attend.

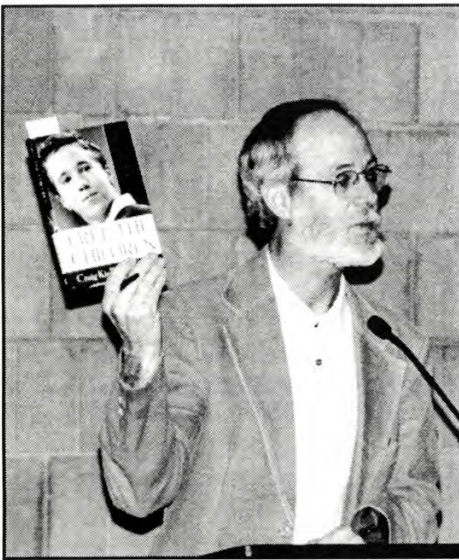
Workshops will provide hands-on training for Outlook 2000, Word 2000, Excel 2000 and Access 2000. Due to the immediate needs of CSEA employees, they will be the first group to sign-up for workshops held throughout next semester. Following this period, other faculty and staff members will be able to sign-up for the workshops.

Outlook 2000 is Microsoft's all-in-one e-mail, contact management, calendaring and management software. Word 2000 is the new standard for word processing documents on campus. Excel 2000 is a spreadsheet application, allowing for the quick and practical manipulation of tables of figures. Access 2000 rounds out the Microsoft Office package and is a database program that is finding more and more use at Plattsburgh State.

*"I am happy to announce that we are moving forward on software upgrades and training..."*

-- President Horace Judson





Two speakers highlighted Labor Rights Action Week at Plattsburgh State Nov. 13-17. Charles Kernaghan (above, left) spoke Tuesday, Nov. 14 about sweatshop abuses in Central America, China and other developing countries by multinational companies. Kernaghan is the executive director of the National Labor Committee. He travels around the world investigating sweatshops as well as visiting colleges and universities to get students active in a movement to end sweatshops and the abuse of workers. Brian O'Shaughnessey (above, right) of the New York Labor-Religion Coalition spoke Wednesday, Nov. 15 about the local and global connections of sweatshops.

## Banff Mountain Film Festival Feb. 13

Mark your calendars for the Banff Mountain Film Festival, Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 8 p.m. in E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall.

For 25 years, The Banff Mountain Film Festival has been celebrating the spirit of adventure and the mountain environment. Each November, the world's best films on mountain themes draw an international audience to the town of Banff, Canada.

The Banff Mountain Film Festival began as an outreach program to bring the festival to other communities. The world tour is presented by Eagle Creek and the National Geographic Society with local support from College Auxiliary Services and the Student Association.

For more information on the film festival, visit: [www.banffcentre.ab.ca/cmc](http://www.banffcentre.ab.ca/cmc). For ticket information, call Dr. Larry Soroka at 564-5222.

## Wintersession 2001 Offers A Variety of Courses Including a Trip to Africa

Plattsburgh State students have a wide range of courses to choose from for Wintersession 2001, Jan. 2-22.

Coordinated by the Center for Lifelong Learning, Wintersession provides exciting learning opportunities for students of all ages.

Perhaps the most exotic offering this year is a North African Civilization course. The entire class will travel to North Africa where they will get an introduction to the history and the culture of French-speaking areas first-hand. The trip, Jan. 7-Jan. 25, will take students to Morocco and Tunisia. Dr.

Janet Shideler, associate director of Canadian studies and international programs, and Dr. Shawn Huffman, assistant professor of foreign languages and literature, are the instructors traveling with the students. The course, a very popular selection, is already full and not accepting any more registrants.

Several topics courses are also being offered during Wintersession. "Analysis of Teaching Techniques Through Popular Film" and "Examination of Characterization of Persons with Disabilities in Popular Films" are two such courses.

"Backcountry Skiing," "Wilderness First Aid," "Intro to Ice Climbing" and "Intro to Telemark Skiing" courses are a part of the Adirondack Experience Program and allow participants to take advantage of the Adirondack winter wonderland.

A variety of courses will also be offered on campus, including "Women's Self Defense," "Business and Society" and the ever-popular "Basics of Ice Carving."

For more information on Wintersession 2001 or to register, contact the Center for Lifelong Learning at 564-2050.

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"We have sent out invitations to people all over the world to attend. We've also invited presenters from all over the globe to come and speak," said Csipak.

The group of researchers formed IRGA in 1996. A year later, the group began collecting data to measure Americanism of the citizens of Quebec.

Since then, they have presented their findings at conferences in Charleston, S.C. and Pittsburgh, Pa. After receiving feedback, the researchers wrote several papers for publication and will be publishing a book next spring.

Members of IRGA stay in close contact, said Csipak.

"We meet once a month on a regular basis. Our next meeting is Dec. 2 when we'll have a full-day discussion concerning our research."

The group's global study, titled "L'americanite des Quebecois," or the "Americanness of Quebecers," set out to measure the economic (such as the North America Free Trade Agreement — NAFTA), cultural and political impact of the United States on Quebec's cultural distinctiveness.

They determined through their research that Quebecers with a higher level of education and a higher level of income do not perceive the United States as a major threat to Quebec's cultural identity.

"They have the resources, knowledge and security of their culture," said Csipak. "They do not see NAFTA as a threat to their social programs. People don't feel threatened, but take it as a part of reality being this close to the U.S."

The grant will allow the group to research the influence of the United States on people living throughout the Americas including Native Americans, Canadians, Mexicans and those in South America.

"With free trade and globalization, we're interested in finding out more about the 'Americanness,' defined as a continental belonging rather than an acculturation process, of the two continents," said Csipak.



## Minority, International Recruitment Efforts Diversify Undergraduate Student Population

The undergraduate student body at Plattsburgh State is becoming more diverse each year.

Dr. Donald Peters, vice president for student affairs and enrollment management, said the latest data points out that more students with diverse, racial/ethnic backgrounds are enrolling at Plattsburgh State.

"We are seeing slight increases in the number of students with Asian/pacific islander and black, non-Hispanic racial/ethnic backgrounds within the undergraduate student population," said Peters. "We are also pleased with the increase in the number of non-resident (international) students who are studying at Plattsburgh State."

This year the Asian/pacific islander student population climbed by 0.2 percent, the black, non-Hispanic population by 0.3 percent and the non-resident (international)

student group by 1 percent as compared with the student population during the 1999 fall semester.

The Hispanic population and the American Indian or Alaskan native group remained about the same. The white, not of Hispanic origin student population decreased by 1.1 percent.

Peters said that the efforts by the Office of Admissions and the International Student Support Program to attract more minorities and foreign students during the past several years are producing the effects expected.

"Having a diverse student body will broaden our students' understanding of the intertwined relationships, both socially and economically, in today's world. We will continue to make additional progress in our recruitment and retention efforts in attracting more minorities to Plattsburgh State."

**Undergraduate Enrollment by Racial/Ethnic Categories**

Fall	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
2000	1.5	3.1	3.3	0.5	3.1	81.6	6.9
1999	1.3	2.8	3.3	0.6	2.1	82.7	7.2

**A:** Asian/Pacific Islander; **B:** Black, Non-Hispanic; **C:** Hispanic; **D:** American Indian or Alaskan Native; **E:** Non-Resident; **F:** White, not of Hispanic origin; **G:** Unknown, those students who choose not to identify their racial/ethnic background.

Source: SUNY Student Data File

## "Soul'd Out" Raises \$1,300 For Child Abuse Prevention



Minor Adjustments, an a capella group, performed during the fifth "Soul'd Out" Talent Show at Plattsburgh State Nov. 9. Students and faculty members performed for the crowd who donated more than \$1,300 toward child abuse prevention programs in Plattsburgh. The night ended with a rousing rendition of "My Boyfriend's Back," by faculty members from the School of Business and Economics, or better known as Bright Blue Betty and the Blue Bee Hives. The event was sponsored by the sisters of Sigma Delta Tau and the School of Business and Economics.

## 'Tis the Season for Musical Performances

With the arrival of the holiday season, the Departments of Music and Theatre departments at Plattsburgh State are presenting several special events during the month of December.

- **"In a Nutshell" — Fri., Dec. 1, 8 p.m.; Sat., Dec. 2, 2 p.m., Hartman Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building**

The theatre department gets things started with its presentation of *In a Nutshell*. An exciting holiday treat, the production is Duke Ellington's jazz version of the Christmas classic, *The Nutcracker*. Take a journey into Clarissa's Christmas fantasy world in the land of sweets with a cast comprised of 50 dancers from Plattsburgh State and the community. All seats are \$1 and tickets can be purchased prior to the show at the Angell College Center Desk or at the door immediately before the performances.

- **Choral Union and Champlain Valley Oratorio Society — Sat., Dec. 2, 8 p.m., Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall**

Tickets for the Choral Union and Champlain Valley Oratorio Society holiday concert featuring holiday choral works for the entire family can be purchased the night of the performance at the door for \$10 general public, \$8 senior citizens and non-Plattsburgh State students and \$1 for Student Association members. S.A. members may purchase tickets in advance at the Angell College Center Desk. Champlain Valley Oratorio Society members can

also buy advance tickets for \$9 general public and \$7 senior citizens and non-Plattsburgh State students.

- **Champlain String Quartet — Tues., Dec. 5, 8 p.m., Recital Hall, Hawkins Hall**

The Champlain String Quartet will be performing Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 8 p.m. in the Recital Hall, Hawkins Hall. The concert is free but limited seating is available. Advance reservations are suggested and can be made by calling 564-2180.

- **Jazz Ensemble — Wed., Dec. 6, 8 p.m., Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall**

The Jazz Ensemble performance is free and open to the public.

- **Madrigal Dinner — Fri. and Sat., Dec. 8 and 9, 6 p.m., Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center**

The grand finale of the December music calendar is the *Madrigal Dinner 2000* celebrating the "Christmas of 1509." The processional begins at 6 p.m. Tickets for this year's dinners are already sold out.

For more information on all December events, call the music or theatre department at 564-2180 or the Box Office at 564-2283. These programs are sponsored in part by the Student Association through the Campus Arts Council, Music Council and the Departments of Music and Theatre.



## Communication Students Win Regional Awards

Students from the Department of Communication received three first-place honors in the regional production competition sponsored by the National Broadcasting Society - Alpha Epsilon Rho (NBS-AERho) at Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Nov. 3-5.

"This year as in past years our students have done very well," said Peter Ensel, associate professor of communication and advisor for the AERho local chapter. "I think it is a testament to the quality of the programs we offer here at Plattsburgh State."

Heather LePere, a senior from Brewster, N.Y., won first place for her entry, "On Campus Live Promo," in the video commercial/promo/psa category. Elissa Blau, a senior from Nanuet, N.Y., and Matt Maneely, a sophomore from Malone, N.Y., won in the video drama or comedy program category for their production of "Uptown." First-place honors also went to Rich Whittaker, a sophomore from Ithaca, N.Y., A.J. Daniels, a junior from Norwood, N.Y., Dave Etzler, a May 2000 graduate, and Dave Tyo, a sophomore, for "Smokey's Wild West Radio Hour" in the audio drama or comedy program category.

The regional production competition includes entries from schools in the New England states, including New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. Ensel said the three first-place awards that went to Plattsburgh State students are an excellent showing at the competition.

"Out of 10 categories, we took three first place awards," said Ensel. "Obviously, the communication department is very proud of our students."

The first place entries are automatically submitted into the national AERho competition where more than 150 colleges and universities across the country are represented. The winners of that competition will be announced at the next national convention in March 2001 in Hollywood, Calif.

## ODK Circle to Induct 83 New Members Into Circle

The Plattsburgh Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership honor society, will induct 83 new members during a ceremony on Saturday, Dec. 9 at 4 p.m. in the E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall.

Jeannie Roberts, executive director of the local chapter of the American Red Cross, will be inducted as an *Honoris Causa* member. Marlene Fields, director of the Educational Opportunity Program, will also become a new faculty/staff member of ODK.

In addition to Roberts and Fields, 15 graduate students, 37 seniors and 29 juniors will be initiated into the Circle during the ceremony. Included in this group are two sets of brothers. Nathaniel and Tyler Mockry, both juniors in business from Massena, N.Y., will be inducted as well as the Edgerton brothers from Champlain N.Y. Daniel is a graduate in counseling and Kyle is a junior business and economics major.

## Plattsburgh State American Chemical Society Chapter Receives Recognition

The American Chemical Society (ACS) student affiliates chapter at Plattsburgh State was recognized by the national ACS as Commendable for its chapter award activities conducted during the 1999-2000 academic year.

Dr. Ning Gao, assistant professor of chemistry and the local chapter's advisor last year was also commended for her great commitment of time and energy.

The ACS student program has a current enrollment of more than 8,000 students affiliated with some 900 chapters at colleges and universities in the United States and Puerto Rico.

Every chapter is required to submit an annual report of its activities to the national ACS. Based on the review of these reports, chapters are selected by the Society Committee on Education for recognition.

For the 1999-2000 academic year, 31 outstanding, 60 commendable and 69 honorable mention awards were presented. In addition to the recognition by their peers and by ACS members, this award is listed in the *Chemical & Engineering News*, The Society's official national newsmagazine, and in *Chemistry*, the Student Affiliates magazine.

The award winning chapters will also be recognized at the 221st ACS national meeting in San Diego, Calif., on April 1, 2001.

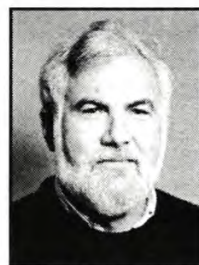


**Elaine Leavitt**, director of the Plattsburgh Upward Bound Program, presented a session on "The Rural Student Goes To College" at the New York Counseling Association's 34th convention Oct. 19-20 in Syracuse. Leavitt and co-presenters from Syracuse University discussed the transition experiences rural and small-town students have.

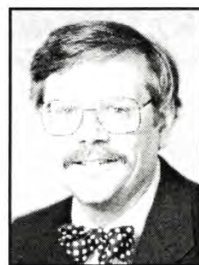
**Dr. Mark Cohen**, SUNY distinguished teaching professor of anthropology, recently



Leavitt



Cohen



Lindgren

gave invited guest lectures at Grand Valley State University in Michigan on tolerance and health and the rise of civilization. In addition, he published a chapter, "History, Diet and Hunter Gatherers" in the *Cambridge (UP) World History of Food*. Cohen also has authored a chapter entitled, "An Anthropologist Looks at Race and IQ" that will appear in *Race and Intelligence* in January 2001.

**Dr. James Lindgren**, history professor, spoke on the cultural politics of historic preservationists, antique collectors and museum curators in the United States at the 26th annual Ruth K. Shartle Symposium of the Museum of Fine Arts of Houston, Texas Nov. 11. Lindgren ex-

amined how artifacts were manipulated and the historical record altered so as to advance contested interests. He titled his remarks, "Men's Thoughts are Best Expressed By the Creation of Their Hands: Anglo-American Antiquities as Relics, Icons and Commodities in the Early 20th Century."





# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Nov. 27 - Dec. 7, 2000

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## *Notes of Interest:*

Nominations for the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching, Service and Librarianship must be submitted by noon on Dec. 1. Additional forms are available by contacting Michele Carpentier in the Student Support Service Office, 110 Angell College Center, by email ([Michele.carpentier@plattsburgh.edu](mailto:Michele.carpentier@plattsburgh.edu)) or phone (564-2810.) This year five individuals were honored with this prestigious award.

### **Monday, Nov. 27**

**11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** AIDS Awareness Week Information Table sponsored by the Wellness Center. Angell Center Lobby.  
**7 p.m.** El Pueblo bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.  
**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**8 p.m.** Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-Enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### **Tuesday, Nov. 28**

**12 - 1 p.m.** Tim Myers signing copies of his new book "Basho and the Fox." Book Nook, Angell College Center.  
**12 p.m.** Bible Study sponsored by Chi Alpha. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.  
**12:30 p.m.** BACCHUS/GAMMA interest meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**12:30 p.m.** HRT Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**4:30 p.m.** Faculty Senate Executive Committee meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**4:30 p.m.** Tuesday Reflections sponsored by the Office of the Dean of Arts and Science. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**5 p.m.** Order of Omega Induction Ceremony, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell College Center, Warren Ballroom B.  
**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.  
**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.  
**8:30 p.m.** OWE bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**8:30 p.m.** Management Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**10:15 p.m.** WQKE/WARP General Staff weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Wednesday, Nov. 29**

**12 p.m.** The Champlain Valley Hall Colloquium Series presents Dr. Lauren Kiefer, assistant professor of English" speaking on "Pygmalion: Satire of a Love Poet." Sponsored by the Department of English. Champlain Valley Hall Lounge.  
**12 p.m.** Champlain Valley hall Colloquium Series presents Professor Lauren Kiefer presenting "Pygmalion: Satire of a Love Poet," sponsored by the Department of English. Champlain Valley Hall Lounge.  
**12 p.m.** Multicultural Clubs Presidents' meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**2:30 p.m. - 4 p.m.** New distance learning studio Open House. Hawkins Hall, Room 202.  
**3 p.m.** Asian Update sponsored by the Asian Studies Committee. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**6 p.m.** College Theatre Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
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**8 p.m.** In a program of story and song, Steve Schachlin will present a profile of how it feels to live with HIV and AIDS entitled "Living in the Bonus Round." Sponsored by CAS, SA, AE Phi Sorority, and the Dean of Students Office. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.  
**9 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.  
**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### **Thursday, Nov. 30**

**11 a.m. - 1 p.m.** AIDS Awareness Week Information Table sponsored by the Wellness Center. Angell Center Lobby.  
**11 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.** CVPH Blood Drive sponsored by Campus Life and the AmeriCorps Program. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**12:25 p.m.** The Women's Studies Program presents Dr. Jim Rice, History Department, speaking on "To Hang or Pardon? A Mother, a Daughter, a Murder in Early America." Sponsored by the Women's Studies Program with assistance from CAS. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**4:30 p.m.** Meet the Candidates Day sponsored

by the Student Association Executive Council. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**6:30 p.m.** Viewing of the film "Schindler's List" with commentary by Dr. Douglas Skopp, sponsored by the History Club. Yokum Lecture Hall, Room 202.  
**6:30 p.m.** Amnesty International Student Group weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
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**7 p.m.** Sportsman's Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.  
**7 p.m.** Swing Dance lessons sponsored by Adirondack Hall. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**7:30 p.m.** Greek Week meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**8 p.m.** Student Chamber Ensembles Concert sponsored by the Music Department. Admission is free and open to the public. E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium, Hawkins Hall.  
**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.  
**8 p.m.** AKEBA's bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.  
**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann weekly club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.  
**8:30 p.m.** Club Caribbean bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

### **Friday, Dec. 1**

**12 - 1 p.m.** J.W. Wiley signing copies of "Brothers of the Academy," which he co-authored. Book Nook, Angell College Center.  
**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.  
**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa meeting of the membership. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.  
**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Newman Center, 92 Broad Street, Plattsburgh.  
**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.  
**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.  
**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell



College Center.

**7 p.m.** Caribbean Extravaganza Fashion Show. Location to be announced.

**8 p.m.** The Theatre Department presents "In a Nutshell" — Duke Ellington's jazz version of the Christmas Classic "The Nutcracker." All seats are \$1.00, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** Open Mic at Java Jo's sponsored by Steve and AJ, sponsored by Campus Life with assistance from CAS. Java Jo's Cafe, Angell College Center.

**9:30 p.m.** "Dress as Your Favorite Madonna" Party sponsored by the Center for Womyn's Concerns. Admission: \$2 in costume, \$3 in not. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Saturday, Dec. 2

**9:30 a.m.** Dictée des Ameriques/French Language Test, sponsored by the Center for the Study of Canada. Hawkins Hall 153-B.

**10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.** Bus to Montreal sponsored by Campus Life. Bus departs from the Angell College Center, Ruger Street pull-off and travels to Dorchester Square, in the heart of the shopping district. Departs Montreal at 5:30 p.m. Tickets: \$10 round trip for coach bus transportation, on sale at the Angell Center Desk.

**12 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club Fall 2000 Gaming Event. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**2 p.m.** The Theatre Department presents "In a Nutshell" — Duke Ellington's jazz version of the Christmas Classic "The Nutcracker." All seats are \$1.00, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**6:15 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club Movie Night. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Holiday Concert featuring the Plattsburgh State Choral Union and the Champlain Valley Oratorio Society, sponsored by the Music Department. Tickets: \$9 general public advance sale, \$10 at the door; \$7 Seniors, non-PSU students, \$8 at the door; available through CVOS members. PSU Student tickets \$1, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hawkins Hall, E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

### Sunday, Dec. 3

**6:45 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies present "Coyote Ugly," sponsored by the SA. Free admission for all SA Members. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

**9:15 p.m.** Sunday Night at the Movies present "Coyote Ugly," sponsored by the SA. Free admission for all SA Members. Hawkins Hall Giltz Auditorium.

### Monday, Dec. 4

**12 - 1 p.m.** Eleanor Garrell Berger reading a selection from her tape "Talking On Air." Book Nook, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Outing Club weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Accounting and Finance Association meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**8 p.m.** Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**8 p.m.** Medieval Re-Enactment Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** Circle K International weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

### Tuesday, Dec. 5

**12 p.m.** Bible Study sponsored by Chi Alpha. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**12:15 p.m.** Lake Champlain Research Institute Seminar. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

**12:30 p.m.** BACCHUS/GAMMA interest meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**12:30 p.m.** HRT Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**4:30 p.m.** Campus Community Open Discussion with the President and Senior Administrators. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** African Unity Organization weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**7 p.m.** Peer Recruitment Training sponsored by the Admissions Office. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Champlain String Quartet performance, sponsored by the Music Department. Admission is free, however, seating is limited and advance reservations are suggested by calling 564-2180. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**8 p.m.** "Ringing Down the Curtain", Theatre students perform a montage of work from performance classes. Studio Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**8:30 p.m.** Management Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**9 p.m.** Hillel weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**10:15 p.m.** WQKE/WARP General Staff weekly meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Wednesday, Dec. 6

**8 a.m.** New Employee Information Session sponsored by Human Resources. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**11 a.m.** Enterprise Rent-A-Car recruitment, sponsored by the Career and Placement Center. Angell Center Lobby.

**12:00 p.m.** Committee on Greek Affairs meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**12:00 p.m.** Multicultural Clubs Presidents' meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**12:00 p.m.** International Student Workshop: "Taxation," sponsored by the International Student Services Program. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**6:00 p.m.** College Theatre Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.** Enterprise Rent-A-Car recruitment, sponsored by the Career and

Placement Center. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**7:30 p.m.** Club Canada weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**8:00 p.m.** Jazz Ensemble Concert sponsored by the Music Department. Hawkins Hall, E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

**8:00 p.m.** "Spontaneous Student Actors" Theatre Club perform. All Seats \$1 available at the college center desk or at the door just before the event. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**9:00 p.m.** Alpha Phi Omega weekly meeting. Open to members only. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**10:15 p.m.** SA Executive Council meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

### Thursday, Dec. 7

**12:30 - 1:30 p.m.** Dennis Aprill signing his book "Paths Less Traveled." Book Nook, Angell College Center.

**12:25 p.m.** The Women's Studies Forum presents Jennifer Frederick speaking on "The Curse: How Mensrual Taboos Reflect and Sustain Women's Internalized and Externalized Oppression." Sponsored by the Women's Studies Program with assistance from CAS. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**4:30 p.m.** Open Forum with the Provost. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Student Open Forum with the President. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**6:30 p.m.** Amnesty International Student Group weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Sportsman's Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 3.

**7:30 p.m.** Marketing Club weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Club Caribbean bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**8 p.m.** Criminal Justice Club weekly meeting. Angell College Center, Meeting Room 4.

**8 p.m.** "Spontaneous Student Actors" Theatre Club perform. All Seats \$1 available at the college center desk or at the door just before the event. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building. Hartman Theater, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** Clann na h'Eireann club meeting. Angell College Center Meeting Room 6.

**8 p.m.** AKEBA's bi-weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

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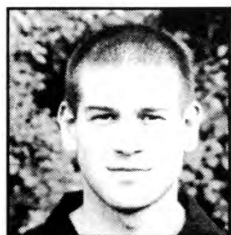
## SEFA Campaign Coming to the End

The Plattsburgh State 2000 SEFA campaign is winding down. Total campaign pledges are up to \$35,552, which represents 89 percent of the \$40,000 goal.

There's still a little time to make a contribution to this year's campaign and if you would like to pledge a gift, please contact the SEFA representative for your office or Marlyn Cotter at 564-3102.



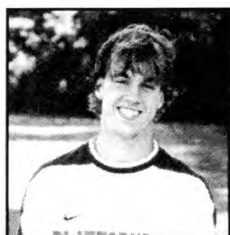
## Six Cardinals Named to SUNYAC All Conference Soccer Team



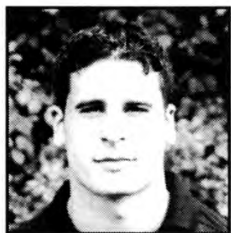
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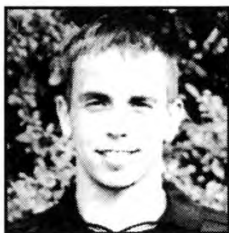
**BJ McGrane**  
1st Team



**Eddie Eck**  
2nd Team



**Joe Sacks**  
2nd Team



**Dominic Salemi**  
2nd Team



**John Schraner**  
2nd Team

## Hamilton Defeats Plattsburgh in NCAA Tournament

Although they played with a lot of heart and controlled the tempo for most of the game, the Plattsburgh State men's soccer team had its hopes of advancing in the NCAA Div. III Tournament come to an end Nov. 12.

Hamilton College escaped with a dramatic win by virtue of a 4-3 margin in a shoot-out in the quarterfinal round of the Northeast Regional Tournament at St. Lawrence University.

The Cardinals, however, finish the 2000 season as SUNYAC champions for the third consecutive year.

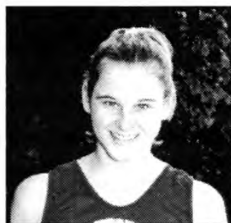
## Cardinals Making Waves This Season

### *Cardinal Men Undefeated in Dual Meet Action*

## Kelly Duffy, Amy Tolosky Compete in NCAA Division III Cross-Country Championships



**Kelly Duffy**



**Amy Tolosky**

Senior Kelly Duffy and junior Amy Tolosky finished in the top 150 in the NCAA Div. III Women's Cross Country Championships held in Spokane, Wash., Nov. 18.

Duffy crossed the line in 85th place in a time of 19:15.6 while Tolosky finished 148th in a time of 19:45.9.

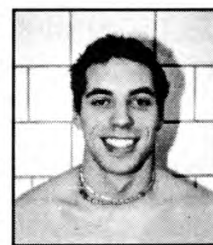
The two Cardinal runners had advanced to the championships by qualifying the week before at the NCAA Regionals in Rochester, N.Y.

In the event, Duffy placed fifth out of 177 runners in a time of 18:16. Tolosky qualified in 16th position with a time of 18:43.

Coach Bill Nicholson should be pleased with what he is seeing with his men's and women's swim teams so far this season. While the women are improving as each meet progresses, the men have certainly proved themselves worthy to compete against their opponents.

The men's team improved to 2-0 with a 126-67 win over Oneonta Nov. 10 at Memorial Hall. Andy Johnson captured wins in the 100 and 200 freestyle races, and teammate Ryan Bremser established a new pool record by swimming the 400 IM in 4:37.39.

The Cardinals recently placed second out of seven teams in the North Country Invitational held at Potsdam State Nov. 17-18. Andy Johnson continued to shine as the senior captured first place in the 100 fly and in the 100 freestyle. The women placed seventh in the invitational as Jean Larson finished second in the 200 IM.



**Andy Johnson**

## Men's Ice Hockey

## Top Ranked Cardinals Remain Perfect

The Plattsburgh State men's hockey team record remained perfect for the 2000-01 season as the Cardinals won two conference games on the road before defeating Elmira at home Nov. 18. With the latest win, the Cardinals are 6-0 overall and 4-0 in SUNY conference play.

The Cardinals escaped with a 6-4 victory over Geneseo State a week earlier on Nov. 10 as Plattsburgh accumulated 45 minutes penalties. Jason Kilcan scored two goals in the win.

Brockport's newly renovated ice surface did not effect the Cardinals tempo as Plattsburgh cruised to a 9-1 win Nov. 11. For the second consecutive night, Kilcan notched two goals for the visiting Cards.

Plattsburgh was welcomed home to an exuberant crowd against Elmira Nov. 18. The supportive Cardinal fans left the arena pleased after Plattsburgh defeated Elmira 5-2. Derek Shaw was the high scorer with back-to-back goals in the first period.



## Going Once, Going Twice... Sold to Plattsburgh State

The Plattsburgh State Art Museum has acquired a new Indian sculpture piece for its permanent art collection. The piece, a Gandharan gray schist relief panel, was created in 300 A.D. in what was then India and today is Pakistan.

On display in the Slatkin Study Room, Myers Fine Arts Building, the art piece depicts the medicine Buddha seated on a cloth-draped pedestal throne, holding a bowl with both hands in his lap and two Greek-style attendants and an ascetic (a person of religious devotion) standing to his right.

This piece, which was purchased through funds from the Student Association and the Plattsburgh College Foundation, is unique to the permanent art collection for several reasons; including how it was acquired by the Museum.

Amanda Santa, a senior sculpture major from Plattsburgh, traveled to Sotheby's auction house in New York City Sept. 22 to bid on several pieces of Indian and South-east Asian art.

"It was an awesome experience and a little nerve-wracking," said Santa. "I watched other people do it (bid) so I knew what to do."

She said that she watched an older gentleman raise his hand instead of the bidding paddle with the bidder's number on it.

"So when I bid, I followed him and just raised my hand. I bid on one (piece), but got outbid. Then, when this piece was up, the last bid was \$9,000. I went to \$10,000 and that was it," she said.

Edward Brohel, director of the Art Museum, said he was pleased that the Museum acquired this sculpture.



Santa with the new Indian sculpture in the Slatkin Study Room.

"I don't know what I'm more excited about – acquiring the sculpture or Amanda going to the auction," said Brohel. "You don't see a lot of these unique art pieces around. About 25 pieces were included in the Sotheby's auction, which is a pretty good number. This piece was the last thing she bid on, and she got it."

The piece is also unique because of the various elements included in the work. Mixed in with the Indian forms are Greek, Roman and classical images.

"This is another reason we wanted this piece," said Brohel. "It is a practical example of diversity in the past."

The Student Association has been one of the major patrons of the arts in Northern

New York by providing funds to purchase art on campus.

The Arts Acquisition Committee, comprised of students and faculty, reviews art it would like to add to its collection and presents a list of pieces to the full senate for approval. It is specifically looking for antique and tribal artifacts. The S.A. has spent more than a million dollars of student funds during the past 35 years to maintain support of the performing and visual arts for the college and regional community.

The committee has acquired pieces for the Museum from Copenhagen, Paris, London and Montreal to name a few. The committee received the Sotheby's catalog for the Sept. 22 auction and identified a couple of pieces that it was interested in acquiring.

Santa, the S.A. vice president for the arts, was chosen to go to the auction. She has since resigned her position to concentrate on preparing for graduate school following graduation in December.

Additional funds for the purchase of the Indian piece were provided by the Plattsburgh College Foundation from gifts made to the permanent collection.

The Indian sculpture joins other works from such far-away places as Africa, New Guinea, Greece, China and Mexico in the Slatkin Study Room.

This room features the permanent display of the Slatkin Glass Collection, an exhibition of new acquisitions and permanent collection selections. It also offers access to the stored permanent collection as a classroom resource for the art department and the general public.

## Employee Recognition Awards Honor Three This Fall

The Office of Human Resources has honored three Plattsburgh State staff members with the Employee Recognition Award.

In August, the recipient of the Employee Recognition Award was Tom Higgins, programming manager with Computer Information Systems. He was nominated by Gina Bond.

Dianne Rabideau, calculations clerk in the purchasing department, was chosen the recipient of the Employee Recognition Award for the month of September. Rabideau was nominated by Marlyn Cotter.

In October, Brenda Kramer, payroll manager, was given the Employee Recognition Award. Kramer was nominated by Maria



Higgins



Rabideau



Kramer

Visco and Marlyn Cotter.

Award winners receive a certificate of appreciation, along with a gift certificate to Java Jo's. Nomination forms for the award are available in human resources, 9th floor, Kehoe.



# focus on Plattsburgh

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## SUNY Connect to Link All SUNY Libraries by 2004

### Plattsburgh State to be Part of 64-Campus Electronic Library System

The State University of New York has introduced a groundbreaking initiative to link all the libraries of the State University system, including Plattsburgh State's Feinberg Library. SUNY Connect will create the largest library collection of any public university system in the world.

SUNY is planning for the entire system, including the ALEPH 500 library management software, to be installed and operational by 2004.

Cerise Oberman, dean of library and information services, said that Plattsburgh State may begin installation of the software as early as fall 2001.

"The actual assignment for installation will be determined by a timeline developed by SUNY and the SUNY Connect advisory



**SUNY wants all campuses to be linked by 2004, creating a statewide digital resource.**

board. They will decide the timeline in March 2001, so we will know then when Plattsburgh

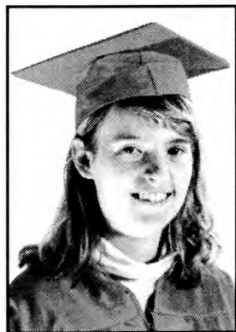
State will begin installation," said Oberman. "SUNY is creating a foundation for a state-wide digital academic resource."

The first important step in implementing SUNY Connect is the installation of ALEPH 500. This software package allows for a common circulation system enabling students to directly access and borrow materials from any State University library. It will create a union catalog of library materials allowing searches of all SUNY library collections totaling more than 18 million volumes.

Several campuses including Fredonia, Oswego, Stony Brook, Binghamton, the University at Buffalo and Tompkins Cortland Community College have begun the implementation of ALEPH 500.

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## Dermody to Speak at Winter Commencement Ceremonies



**Dermody**

Graduating senior Crystal Dermody, an international business major from Plattsburgh, will address more than 500 Plattsburgh State students eligible to receive bachelor's

and master's degrees and certificates of study during Winter Commencement exercises Saturday, Dec. 16.

"I feel that it is quite an honor to be chosen as the student speaker," said Dermody. "I'm overwhelmed."

Students receiving bachelor of arts,

master's or advanced study degrees will commence at 10 a.m. Students receiving bachelor of science degrees will commence at 1:30 p.m.

Brian and Alice Dermody, Crystal's parents, have seen all three of their children attend Plattsburgh State.

Dermody's older sister, Jennifer, graduated from Plattsburgh State in 1994 with a degree in economics and her younger brother, Sean, is a junior majoring in political science.

"Plattsburgh State is a family tradition," said Dermody. "I think my sister is the reason why I decided to come here."

In her commencement address, she plans to talk about ways in which graduates can give back to their community.

"Basically, what I want to say through

my speech is for graduates to use everything we've learned here as a tool to help us give back to the community and to pay attention to life," said Dermody.

Upon graduation, Dermody will be heading to Pittsfield, Mass. where she has landed a job with General Electric.

She said that it was quite an application process that included a series of phone interviews, a dinner interview and several on-site interviews.

She will be in a program that G.E. describes as "training the future leaders of the company."

Dermody will be in this training program for about two years, during which time she will gather experience working in a series of jobs within various departments of

*(Commencement, Page 2)*



# New Clinton Dining Hall Readies For Spring Semester

The burners and heating elements to the stoves and kettles will be turned off in Sibley Hall Friday (Dec. 8) after the dinner meal as Sodexo Marriott begins the move back to a refurbished Clinton Dining Hall, which will begin serving meals to students Jan. 22, 2001.

Control of Clinton Dining Hall was turned over to the State University Construction Fund last March as students took off for spring break. When they returned for the rest of the spring semester, much of the interior of the dining and kitchen areas had been gutted. Workers were beginning the \$2.1 million reconstruction project, which was expected to be done in time for the fall semester.

Cheryl Hogle '68 G'72, interim director of College Auxiliary Services, said numerous delays pushed back the official re-opening date for the dining facility to January 2001. Hogle said, "Obtaining finish materials and equipment hindered the project while extra time was required to remove additional amounts of asbestos that were not identified in original plans."

In the interim, students ate their meals in the Sibley Hall cafetorium or in the nearby Algonquin Dining Hall.

Patrick Spellman, food service director for Sodexo Marriott, said, "Next week we will begin moving new cooking equipment, some that was used in Sibley and the rest, which has been in storage, into Clinton and preparing for reopening of the facility in January. We're eager to get into our renovated dining facilities. I know the students are also anxious to get back to Clinton, and we want to have everything in place and ready for them when they return Jan. 22."

Spellman said they have access to the kitchen area right now while construction workers finish minor projects in the dining area that remain on the punchlist.

Meanwhile, work on the Field House Gymnasium, which has now picked up

pace following the completion of a lengthy asbestos and mercury abatement program, will take longer than originally planned.

Control of the gymnasium was also turned over to the Construction Fund shortly after Spring Commencement last May. Work was to be completed this month in time for Winter Commencement. As a result of the delays, the graduation ceremony was moved to Memorial Hall.

The project to remove the indoor track and all-purpose floor and rehabilitate the bleachers came to a grinding halt this summer while construction workers waited for special permits.

The process slowed when it was determined that special permits would be required for the removal of the floor, which

## Clinton Dining Hall Open House

Tours will be held from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 11

Tuesday, Dec. 12

Wednesday, Dec. 13

had asbestos and mercury materials.

"Students and visitors were always safe when using the facility," said Stan Supinski, director of facilities.

"The permits were required to insure the safety of the workers and other individuals when they were removing the material. The floor is gone and work is now progressing."

Crews are now leveling the floor. The renovation of the bleachers, which has begun, will take nearly five weeks to complete. Replacement of the track and floor will take another four weeks.

Supinski said the project could be completed sometime around the beginning of March if all goes according to plan.



Plattsburgh State faculty and staff have far exceeded the campaign goal for the 2001 State Employees Federated Appeal (SEFA). Employees have pledged \$45,083. That's more than \$5,000 above the campaign's original goal of \$40,000. In attendance for a symbolic check presentation were (l - r): Betty Lennon, CSEA representative to SEFA; Wayne Rabideau, SEFA loaned executive from Altona Correctional Facility; Marlyn Cotter, Plattsburgh State SEFA co-chair; Dr. Horace Judson, president of Plattsburgh State; Michael Mannix, SEFA coordinator for Clinton, Essex, Franklin and Hamilton counties and executive director of the United Way of Clinton and Essex Counties; and Peter Luguri, Plattsburgh State SEFA co-chair. Missing from the photo is Jeanne Bennink, UUP representative to SEFA.

## Commencement (Continued from Page 1)

the corporation, switching assignments every six months.

After this training, she will join the corporation's auditing staff.

From there, she said her long-term goals include moving into upper level management positions, aiming toward be-

coming a chief financial officer.

Dermody thanked the faculty of the School of Business and Economics.

"They've made my education exciting," she said. "They should be commended for the job that they do."

Ongoing renovations to the Field House

Gymnasium forced the University to move Winter Commencement to Memorial Hall on a Saturday.

There will be a reception for graduating seniors and their families immediately following each ceremony in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center.



# Plattsburgh State Receives \$100,000 From Rusterholtz Estate

The memory of Gertrude Rusterholtz will live on at Plattsburgh State University long after her death thanks to a \$100,000 unrestricted bequest from the estate of the former Campus School psychologist.

Rusterholtz died May 25, 2000 at Champlain Valley Physicians Hospital Medical Center at the age of 87.

John Carothers, vice president for institutional advancement and executive director of the College Foundation said, "Mrs. Rusterholtz's will placed no restriction on the use of her generous gift to the Foundation. The gift's ultimate use will be decided by the Foundation's board of directors in accordance with its mission to make grants of financial assistance to the College, and its students and faculty."

Plattsburgh State President Horace Judson said Rusterholtz's contributions to the University would continue on for many years.

"During her life, Gertrude Rusterholtz advanced the lives of many of the children she worked with in the Campus School and personally helped many young people



Rusterholtz

achieve their educational objectives," said Judson. "Her generosity in establishing this bequest to the Foundation will continue that tradition of giving for which she was known."

Rusterholtz came to Plattsburgh State in 1947 to become the Campus School psychologist. While employed at Plattsburgh, she married Dr. John W. Rusterholtz, professor of biology. He predeceased her in 1956.

Even after her retirement in January 1968, she continued to serve the community by assisting in neighboring school districts.

"I am very pleased to learn that Gert thought of the University in her will," said Donald Garrant, '57, former vice president for institutional advancement. "She was very close to the institution and thought very highly of it. An outstanding educator, Gert was well-respected by her faculty colleagues and her many friends in the community."

Florence "Callie" Callihan, associate professor emerita of education, said the love that people had for John Rusterholtz also played an important part in Gertrude's decision to leave a lasting legacy to Plattsburgh State.

Callihan said, "Everywhere Gertrude went people would tell her 'I knew your husband, John. He was my favorite professor.'

"She knew that the College meant a lot to him as well. Even though (the funds are) from her estate, it really represents both of them," Callihan said.



## *In the Spirit of the Season*

Employees at the Clinton County Department of Social Services helped Plattsburgh State maintenance workers unload two trucks bearing presents, clothes, food baskets and other items donated in the annual Adopt-A-Friend program. Faculty, staff and students purchased gifts and donated money for the Campus Life-sponsored program. Christmas packages for 148 individuals in Clinton County, including 11 elderly residents and 137 children and teens, were delivered to the social services offices on Monday. Gifts included a toddler bed, crib, snowsuits, hats, boots and toys. In addition to the gifts, funds collected from the campus community purchased enough food for 60 baskets containing canned hams, tea, hot chocolate, cereal and other goodies for the holiday season.

## **SUNY Connect** (Continued from Page 1)

Once in place, the system will allow a student at one SUNY campus to initiate a borrowing request from a library on another State University campus and receive the book within two days.

"SUNY Connect will integrate the newest technology-based library and information with more traditional library resources," said SUNY Chancellor Robert L. King. "With SUNY Connect, students throughout SUNY – from the smallest colleges to the largest research

universities – will have access to the entire State University library collection around the clock."

The SUNY-wide electronic library project was initiated by SUNY's library directors and is coordinated by the SUNY Office of Library and Information Services.

Oberman said that the installation of the system will involve a massive amount of work including reconfiguring the current library database so it can be loaded onto the new system.

"There will be a lot of behind-the-scenes work, including cataloging and authority control," said Oberman. Authority control entails the standardizing of vocabulary so that the users can access materials from the system.

"Trying to standardize the system across SUNY is a huge, huge undertaking," she said. "It's a phenomenal system that will link all 64 campuses giving access very easily and seamlessly to faculty, staff and students."



# focus ON Plattsburgh State Graduating Seniors

Jodi Fullerton has been recognized on the list of Who's Who Among Students In American Universities and says the award represents and honors her continued commitment to global consciousness and the sociopolitical advancement of women across cultures and nations.

Fullerton is a graduating senior from Newport, R.I. majoring in women's studies with a philosophy minor. She's had a wealth of experience from her time at Plattsburgh State and she's not done yet. She'll be working with Dr. Jennifer Scanlon, professor of women's studies, and Erin Mitchell, adjunct professor of women's studies, as a research assistant for the spring semester.

"I was a little nervous about getting too far away from academia, so this is an excellent opportunity," said Fullerton.

Next up, she's applying to the University of Amsterdam and the Hague Institute for Social Studies. She's familiar with Holland, attending Leiden University last spring as part of the Study Abroad Program.

"That was the most wonderful experience," she said. "Studying abroad was fantastic."

Her long-range goals include working in the field of global feminism. "I would like to eventually work with some sort of international non-profit organization," said Fullerton.



Fullerton



Delgado

Jezebel Delgado came to Plattsburgh State when she was a junior. She graduated with a bachelor of art degree in criminal justice and sociology in 1997. She decided to stay at Plattsburgh State in the master of arts and liberal studies program and is graduating Dec. 16.

"It has been an absolutely positive and memorable experience for me at Plattsburgh State," said Delgado. "I will

never forget the generosity and inspiration from both the faculty and staff."

While at Plattsburgh State, Delgado has been active in a number of organizations including El Pueblo, OWE, AKEBA and has worked with admissions as a tour guide and perspective-student host. She has also been named on the list of Who's Who Among Students In American Universities.

From Plattsburgh, Delgado will move to Albany in January to start her fellowship with the Center for Women in Government, which is sponsored by the Nelson A. Rockefeller Graduate School of Public Affairs and Policy at SUNY Albany.

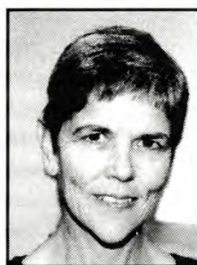
She's still contemplating her next move after her fellowship, which ends in June. She'll either use the nine credits to get a certificate of advanced study from SUNY Albany, or will save those credits and apply them toward a Ph.D.

"I'm not exactly sure what my calling is, but I'm definitely more than confident of the direction I'm going in," she said. "Maybe I'll be a lobbyist."



## SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Margaret Morrow  
Holly Heller-Ross  
Dr. Faten M. Moussa



Morrow



Heller-Ross



Moussa

**Dr. Margaret Morrow**, assistant professor in mathematics, recently authored a new chapter on graph theory in the ninth edition (expanded) of *Mathematical Ideas*, published in October by Addison Wesley. It is widely used in introductory college-level mathematics courses for liberal-arts students.

**Holly Heller-Ross**, associate librarian, and Julia Kiple, former Feinberg librarian, co-authored a book chapter titled "Informa-

tion Literacy for Interactive Distance Learners" in *Teaching the New Library to Today's Users: Reaching International, Minority, Senior Citizen, Gay/Lesbian, First Generation College, At-Risk, Graduate and Returning Students, and Distance Learners*, published by Neal-Schuman. Heller-Ross also gave a presentation, "Library Support for Distance Learning," at the 2000 New York Library Association Annual Conference in Saratoga Springs Nov. 3.

**Dr. Faten M. Moussa**, associate professor in management and marketing, recently attended a meeting of the Southern Management Association Nov. 7-11 in Orlando, Fla., where she presented a paper, entitled "The Interactive Effects of Self-Esteem, Monetary Incentives

and Self-Set Goal-Level Instructions on Personal Goals and Intentions."

Moussa's paper, which was published in the conference proceedings, won Best Track Paper Award in the Organization Behavior, Theory and Development Track as well as a the 2000 Best Overall Conference Paper Award.





# Catch and Release: An Honors Seminar Studies Fishing

For the past 10 years, Robert Harsh, counselor in the Educational Opportunity Program, has taught or co-taught a topical seminar each spring semester for the College's Honors Program.

Topics for these seminars have ranged from illness and wellness to religion and social change, from adventure and travel literature to the chaos theory.

For the past three years, however, the seminar topics have centered on the water: A 1998 seminar on American rivers; a 1999 seminar on the oceans; and this last spring, a seminar titled *Catch and Release: Fishing as Culture, Commerce and Recreation*.

These honor seminars are limited to about 15 students.

"This smaller class size quickly creates a cooperative learning community that de-emphasizes faculty lectures in favor of free-flowing discussion," said Harsh.

Each semester, an Honors Council, made up of faculty members and students, reviews topical seminar proposals and chooses one to offer.

These seminars are designated to fulfill one of the "distributed" areas of the College's general education program. For example, the fishing seminar last spring counted for one of the two required social science courses.

The seminar was divided into three sections that considered fishing as culture, commerce and recreation.

The students were assigned readings from each section including readings on the natural, social and political histories of cod fishing; a memoir of a family's salmon fishing season on Alaska's Inner Passage; and an examination of American fly-fishing literature.

Harsh said that the seminar greatly benefited from a variety of academic resources on campus including Dr. Timothy Mihuc,



Honors seminar members (l to r): Mary Logalbo, Bridget LaPage, Melanie Comeau, Aaron Edwards, Laura Halligan, Devin Lander and Aaron Brehm begin a field trip with a visit to a Vermont fish hatchery.

director of the Lake Champlain Research Institute, Mark Malchoff, a marine fisheries expert working with the institute through federal Sea Grant funding, and Dr. Peter Corodimas, professor of English.

The seminar was also supplemented by two field trips. Early in the semester, the students followed the course of the Boquet River in Essex County from its mountain headwaters to the salmon ladder at a dam near its junction with Lake Champlain.

The second outing was a weekend trip to Ogunquit, Maine, which is located on the southern sea coast and included a stop in Vermont to visit a fish hatchery.

"Shared classroom and field experiences like these distinguish undergraduate education at Plattsburgh State as an exceptionally cooperative and engaging experience," said Harsh.

## May 2000 Graduate Wins Second Place in Essay Contest

April Caffarelli, a May 2000 hotel, restaurant and tourism management graduate, was recently notified that an essay she had written for extra credit last spring won second place in a contest sponsored by the International Institute for Quality and Ethics in Service and Tourism, or IIQUEST.

Caffarelli said that it was an honor to win the award.

"I was shocked. I wasn't expecting it," she said. "I did it for extra credit in Mr. (Richard) Lagiewski's (assistant professor of hotel, restaurant and tourism management) class, and I really didn't expect to hear anything back about it."

She received a plaque and a \$500 cash award for her second-place entry from IIQUEST, a non-profit organization dedicated to the heightening of the awareness of excellence in the international service and tourism industry.



Caffarelli '00

According to its Website, IIQUEST seeks to attain its goal by working with colleges and universities worldwide that offer degrees in hospitality, service and tourism to encourage the teaching of excellence.

Her essay, "Ecotourism," explored the topic of tourism in third-world and devel-

oping countries and its impact on the indigenous population.

Caffarelli said an example of ecotourism would be African safaris. Wealthy tourists want to go in and observe different cultures.

The on-going debate is whether or not these tourists, along with big corporations that are building hotels and other tourism facilities, are damaging the economies and culture of the people who live there.

"Research has shown that large corporations come into these communities, but the money doesn't stay there. It goes out and is circulated through the international corporation, which doesn't re-invest in the community," said Caffarelli. "You wonder how long this can go on before there isn't anything left."

Caffarelli resides in Plattsburgh and works in the sales department at the Lake Placid Resort, Holiday Inn in Lake Placid.



# *focus* ON CAMPUS EVENTS

Dec. 8, 2000 - Jan. 24, 2001

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public and are subject to change. For the most up-to-date information on campus events, check out the Plattsburgh State On-Line Calendar at: <http://www.plattsburgh.edu/ocrd/focus/news/calendar.cfm>.

## **Friday, Dec. 8**

**4 p.m.** Asian Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**5 p.m.** Residence Hall Council Presidents' meeting, sponsored by Campus Life. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**5:30 p.m.** "Christmas 1509" Madrigal Dinner presented by the Music Dept. The processional begins at 6 p.m. Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center.

**5:30 p.m.** Newman Association weekly meeting. Newman Center, 92 Broad Street, Plattsburgh.

**6 p.m.** Club International weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**6 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club meeting, movie and game night. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**7 p.m.** Intervarsity Christian Fellowship weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

## **Saturday, Dec. 9**

**4 p.m.** Omicron Delta Kappa new member Induction Ceremony. Hawkins Hall, E. Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

**5:30 p.m.** "Christmas 1509" Madrigal Dinner presented by the Music Department. The processional begins at 6:00 p.m. in the Warren Ballrooms, Angell College Center.

**6 p.m.** Muslim Student Association weekly meeting and activities. Angell Center Meeting Room 1.

**6:15 p.m.** Alternate Realities Club Movie Night. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

**7 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey vs Amherst. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

## **Monday, Dec. 11**

**10:15 p.m.** SA Senate weekly meeting. Cardinal Lounge, Angell College Center.

## **Tuesday, Dec. 12**

**4:30 p.m.** Faculty Senate Meeting. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

**8:30 p.m.** OWE bi-weekly meeting. Amnesty Room, Angell College Center.

## **Thursday, Dec. 14**

**4:30 p.m.** Campus Community Open Discussion between faculty and staff and the president and senior administrators. Plattsburgh Room, Angell College Center.

## **Saturday, Dec. 16**

**10 a.m.** Residence halls close for all students except graduating seniors.

### **Winter 2000 Commencement:**

**10 a.m.** Memorial Hall Gymnasium. (All candidates for Bachelor of Arts degrees, Master's Degrees or Certificates of Advanced Study will graduate at this time. Graduates should line up on the upper level of Memorial Hall at 9:30 a.m.)

**1:30 p.m.** Memorial Hall Gymnasium. (All candidates for Bachelor of Science degrees will graduate at this time. Graduates should line up on the upper level of Memorial Hall at 1 p.m.)

## **— 2001 —**

## **Friday, Jan. 5**

**4 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey Pepsi Cardinal Classic. First game — Colby College vs. RIT. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

**6 p.m.** Women's Basketball vs. New Paltz. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7:30 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey Pepsi Cardinal Classic. Second game — Plattsburgh State vs. Hobart. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

**8 p.m.** Men's Basketball vs. New Paltz. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

## **Saturday, Jan. 6**

**4 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey Pepsi Cardinal Classic. Consolation game. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

**7:30 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey Pepsi Cardinal Classic. Championship game. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

## **Tuesday, Jan. 9**

**7 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey vs. Norwich University. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

## **Wednesday, Jan. 10**

**1 p.m.** Men's and Women's Swimming vs. New Paltz. Memorial Hall Pool.

## **Saturday, Jan. 13**

Men's and Women's Indoor Track Cardinal Classic (Tentative)

## **Tuesday, Jan. 16**

**7 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey vs. Middlebury College. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

## **Friday, Jan. 19**

**6 p.m.** Women's Basketball vs. Geneseo State. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**8 p.m.** Men's Basketball vs. Geneseo State. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

## **Saturday, Jan. 20**

**2 p.m.** Women's Basketball vs. Brockport State. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**4 p.m.** Men's Basketball vs. Brockport State. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7 p.m.** Men's Ice Hockey vs. Williams College. Field House, Stafford Ice Arena.

## **Monday, Jan. 22**

**8 a.m.** Residence Halls re-open for the Spring Semester.

## **Tuesday, Jan. 23**

**8 a.m.** New student course selection/registration begins.

**1 p.m.** SOLARR add/drop begins.

## **Wednesday, Jan. 24**

**8 a.m.** Spring Semester classes begin.

### **Notes of Interest:**

**Graduating seniors** should pick up their Commencement tickets at the Angell College Center Desk. Students should also pick up and print their names on index cards available at the Desk. There are no rehearsals prior to Commencement. Those students participating in the morning ceremony should assemble at 9:30 a.m. on the upper level of Memorial Hall. Those students participating in the afternoon ceremony should assemble at 1 p.m. on the upper level of Memorial Hall.



## Sturm, Lennon to Retire in December

*Honored for Their Outstanding Dedication to Cardinal Athletics*



Sturm



Lennon

After 36 years of devoted service to Cardinal athletics, Betty Lennon and Phoebe Sturm have decided to retire. Both women were honored Dec. 2 at the men's hockey game between Plattsburgh State and Oswego.

Sturm, who was the head coach for the women's basketball program since its 1974 inception, is currently the associate athletic director, academic coordinator, and senior women's administrator. During her 22-year coaching tenure, Sturm has earned SUNYAC Coach of the Year honors and has seen six of her players inducted into the Cardinal Sports Hall of Fame.

Betty Lennon has been a vital component for the smooth transition of daily operations within the Department of Sport & Wellness. She has worked on numerous committees and has served as the Civil Service Employee Association president. Lennon is currently the president of the Northeast Labor Central Trades Council.

Lennon and Sturm have worked with numerous students as well as coaching staff during their employment.

Also noteworthy, Lennon and Sturm have worked with five different athletic directors and four different department chairs dating back to 1965.

## Hoop Teams off to Fast Start

Jana Rhude, a senior guard from Rome, N.Y., and John Tsimis, a freshman forward also from Rome, were chosen as the most valuable players in this year's Men's and Women's Basketball Pepsi Cardinal Classics. Both teams are currently 3-1 and looking to make an impact in the SUNYAC conference this season.

## Cardinal Hockey Wins SUNYAC Showdown Over Oswego

*Cardinals Improve to 9-1 Overall, 6-0 SUNYAC Conference*

Plattsburgh State did not have an easy time against conference rivals Cortland and Oswego State, but it was still enough to run its record to 9-1 overall for the season.

In the 5-2 victory over Cortland State Dec. 1, the Cardinals received goals from five individuals. Derrick Shaw from Scottsdale, Ariz., Brian Toussaint from Lewiston, Maine, Eric Weidenbach from Clarkston, Mich., Brendon Hodge from Lynnfield, Mass., and Jason Kilcan from London, Ontario, Canada, all scored for the Cardinals. Niklas Sundberg, from Stockholm, Sweden, stopped 27 of 29 shots on goal. The Cardinals have won 50 of

51 games over the years against the much improved Red Dragons.

The next night, Mark Coletta, from Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada, and Kilcan scored two goals each as the Cardinals cruised to a 6-3 victory against arch rival Oswego State in front of 3,017 fans at Stafford Arena. Joe Dolci, from Woburn, Mass., and Bryan Murray, from Barry's Bay, Ontario, also scored for Plattsburgh State.

Sundberg made 26 of 29 saves over the ninth-ranked Lakers as the junior continued his outstanding netminding between the posts.



Cardinals face off with SUNY rival Oswego.

## Men's Soccer Team Honored at President's Reception



President Horace Judson presents the 2000 SUNYAC Championship Trophy to Men's Soccer Head Coach Chris Waterbury (far left) and junior Chris Beck (far right) at the fall Cardinal Athletic Reception.



# Fall Phonothon Campaign Beats Last Year's Grand Total

## *Student Callers Gain Great Experience on the Job*

The fall Alumni Phonothon campaign this year received a record amount in pledges totaling more than \$171,000.

The previous record for the entire year was \$155,000, and there's still the spring phonothon to come for this fiscal year's campaign. Students will be calling alumni and parents of enrolled students for five to seven weeks in the spring.

The phonothon is one segment of the annual alumni fund drive, which is part of the Plattsburgh College Foundation's overall fund-raising efforts.

"The alumni phonothon is a critical part of our efforts every year," said Carolee Smith G'86, director of annual giving. "The conversations with students frequently convince alumni to make that important first gift and also leads to larger pledges being made by many previous donors."

Smith said the students worked hard to get alumni to increase their pledges. The average pledge for the fall phonothon was \$48.15, compared to \$40.67 for last fall's phonothon campaign.



**Phonothon student workers, including (from l-r) Chris Cottrell, Kate Deyermund and Beth LaPierre, called nearly 12,000 alumni during the fall campaign.**

Money raised through the phonothon is generally used to meet the College's most urgent needs, although donors may specify their gifts for student aid, a specific academic department, the Feinberg Library, the Cardinal Booster Club, the Plattsburgh State Art Museum, or a wide variety of other programs and projects.

"I'm very pleased with the results of the fall phonothon," said Ulysses Tucker, annual fund assistant. "Most of the students didn't have any prior experience with telemarketing. With just a little training on marketing techniques and on what to say and how to say it, I think they did very well."

Tucker added that aside from the fundraising aspect, the biggest success of the campaign was the experience the stu-

dents received from calling alumni and asking for gifts.

"Phonothon helps build confidence and self-esteem," said Tucker. "By the end of the fall campaign, you could see the difference."

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## *Fifteen On-Line Distance Learning Courses Offered in Spring*

Plattsburgh State will be offering 15 on-line distance learning courses via the Internet during the Spring 2001 semester.

Starting with just two courses in 1999, the number has steadily expanded as the growth in popularity of taking college courses via the Internet has increased.

Dr. Janet Worthington, dean of Lifelong Learning and Continuing Education, said that the availability of these courses is beneficial especially to people in the North Country.

"Many of our students have to work, and many have to travel to Plattsburgh from the surrounding rural areas. Distance learning allows their schedules to be much more flexible," Worthington said. These courses are available to all students in pursuit of a college degree, as well as to those interested in taking courses for personal or professional development.

The courses are offered via the SUNY Learning Network (SLN), which is operated by the State University of New York. SUNY's goal for SLN is to provide quality higher education and training anytime and anywhere for anyone who is motivated to seek it.

It appears the SLN is accomplishing that goal. It expects to hit a new record this year with more than 20,000 students taking on-line courses, approximately 7,000 more than the previous year's enrollments. That continues a remarkable and steady growth that began with only 119 students just five years ago.

The popularity of the distance-learning program is its accessibility and flexibility for all students.

Dr. Kevin O'Neill, assistant professor of management and marketing, will be teaching his first on-line course next semester. He said he wants to become skilled in this new delivery mode because

of the growing attraction for on-line courses. "It is more and more appealing to younger students because it is the environment (use of the Internet) they grow up in. It is also appealing to older students because it provides them with the flexibility to engage in a course from their own home at their own time."

O'Neill said that more and more colleges are beginning to reap the benefits of offering on-line courses to a growing sector of the population. "It is also a competitive advantage for the institution and individually for me. From my own perspective, I can't stress that enough."

O'Neill said he finds it intellectually and technologically challenging, something that keeps his interest in teaching.

Degree-seeking students who register for SUNY Learning Network courses must be matriculated at one of the SUNY institutions and must comply with their campus' transfer-credit approval policy.

The SLN allows SUNY students increased opportunities when it comes time for making their schedules. Classes that may not be offered on their campus can be accessed through the SUNY Learning Network and their home computer.

Cheryl Marshall, distance learning coordinator, said that the on-line course program is providing students with opportunities to take traditional classes within a new medium.

"The increase in courses really speaks for itself in terms of the need it is fulfilling. Distance learning is becoming more recognized as a quality delivery mode," said Marshall.

Classes, via the Internet, will begin Jan. 24, 2001 and continue through May 18. To register or to obtain more information, interested individuals can contact Cheryl Marshall at 518-564-4234 or on line at <http://sln.suny.edu/admin/sln/original.nsf>



# focus ON CAMPUS EVENTS

THIS WEEK THURSDAY, DEC. 5 - TUESDAY, DEC. 17  
Unless otherwise noted, all events are free and open to the public.

## Thursday, Dec. 5

**11 a.m.-3 p.m.** — CVPH Blood Drive, sponsored by Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity and Circle K. Angell Center Flynt Commons.

**12:10 p.m.** — Women's Studies Forum presents Ms. Yeshim Ternar, Turkish Canadian writer and anthropologist speaking on "The Word is My Ticket: Cross Cultural Journeys Through Literature." Sponsored by the Women's Studies Program, with assistance from CAS. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

**4-7 p.m.** — Protestant Campus Ministry weekly walk-in hours. Angell Center Garden Lounge.

**4:30 p.m.** — The Wellness Series presents "Introduction to the Internet" by the Computing Center Support Staff. Computing Support Center, Hawkins Hall.

**5 p.m.** — AIDS Awareness Week sponsors a Tree Lighting Ceremony and Candlelight Vigil. Angell Center Lobby.

**5 p.m.** — Club Kreol weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**6:45 p.m.** — Intervarsity Bible Study Group. Angell Center Meeting Room 4.

**7 p.m.** — The College Democrats weekly meeting. Myers FA 232.

**7 p.m.** — LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room #8.

**7 p.m.** — Medieval Re-enactment weekly club meeting. Angell Center Amnesty Room.

**7:30 p.m.** — IMA (Institute of Managerial Accountants) weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**8 p.m.** — Student Director's Debut sponsored by the College Theatre Department. Tickets: \$1 SA, \$4 faculty/staff/senior citizens, \$6 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Studio Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** — Club function sponsored by Hillel. Angell Center Centennial Room.

**8 p.m.** — Organization of Women of Ethnicity weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 7.

**8 p.m.** — Circle K International weekly club meeting. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

**9 p.m.** — Concert sponsored by Greek Council. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.

## Friday, Dec. 6

**3-9 p.m.** — Holiday Shopping Bus to Burlington, VT, sponsored by Campus Life. Tickets: \$3 round trip, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Bus departs from the Rugar Street pull-off.

**4 p.m.** — Omicron Delta Kappa monthly meeting, open to members only. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**4:30 p.m.** — ASPCE weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**4:30 p.m.** — AKEBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**6 p.m.** — Women's Basketball vs. SUNY New Paltz. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**6:30-9:30 p.m.** — Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship meeting. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

## Feinberg Library Extends Hours

Friday Dec. 6 8 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Saturday Dec. 7 9 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Sunday Dec. 8 9 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.

(Above hours also apply to the Hawkins Hall Computer Lab)

Friday Dec. 13 8 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Saturday Dec. 14 9 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Sunday Dec. 15 9 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

**8 p.m.** — Men's Basketball vs. SUNY New Paltz. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**8 p.m.** — Jedi Dance Production Company presents "Silhouettes," sponsored by the SA. Tickets: \$2 with College ID, \$3 general public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

**8 p.m.** — Jazz Ensemble performance at the Plattsburgh Elks Lodge. For ticket information call 563-2100, reservations required. Elks Lodge 621, Cumberland Avenue, Plattsburgh.

**8 p.m.** — Student Director's Debut sponsored by the College Theatre Department. Tickets: \$1 SA, \$4 faculty/staff/senior citizens, \$6 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Studio Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**9 p.m.** — Friday Night at the Movies presents *Sense and Sensibility* sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Flynt Commons.

## Saturday, Dec. 7

**6:15 a.m.** — Ski Trip to Killington, VT, sponsored by the SA. Tickets: \$29 SA Members, includes round trip coach bus transportation, and all-day lift ticket, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Bus departs from the Angell Center, Rugar Street pull-off.

**9 a.m.-6 p.m.** — Bus to Montreal, sponsored by Campus Life. Tickets: \$10 round trip, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Bus departs

from the Angell Center, Rugar Street pull-off.

**9 a.m.-8 p.m.** — History and Gaming Convention sponsored by the Diverse Science Fiction Club. Tickets: \$1 SA Members, \$2 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.

**6 p.m.** — Women's Basketball vs. SUNY Oneonta. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7 p.m.** — Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Honor Society Fall Induction Ceremony, by invitation only. Hawkins Recital Hall.

**8 p.m.** — Men's Basketball vs. SUNY Oneonta. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**8 p.m.** — Caribbean Winter Ball and Dinner Dance sponsored by Club Kreol. Tickets: \$10 SA, \$11 faculty, \$12 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Valcour Educational Conference Center.

**8 p.m.** — Student Director's Debut sponsored by the College Theatre Department. Tickets: \$1 SA, \$4 faculty/staff/senior citizens, \$6 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Studio Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** — Jedi Dance Production Company presents "Silhouettes," sponsored by the SA. Tickets: \$2 with College ID, \$3 general public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

## Sunday, Dec. 8

**6:45 and 9:15 p.m.** — Sunday Night at the Movies presents "The Fan" sponsored by the Student Association. Tickets: \$1 SA Members, \$2 faculty/staff and movie pass, available at the Angell Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

**7 p.m.** — LGBA presents Craig Dean speaking on "Same Sex Marriages." Angell Center Warren Ballroom B.

**8 p.m.** — Caribbean Fashion Show sponsored by Club Kreol. Tickets: \$3 SA, \$4 faculty, \$5 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Angell Center Flynt Commons.

## Monday, Dec. 9

**3 p.m.** — Dining Advisory Committee Meeting — open to the campus. Angell Center Conference Room.

**4 p.m.** — Reception for recipients of the Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities Award, sponsored by the SA Academic Affairs Board. Open to recipients and invited guests only. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**6 p.m.** — Intervarsity Bible Study Group.



Angell Center Meeting Room 7.

**7 p.m.** — College Republicans weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 6.

**7 p.m.** — Stress Management Program sponsored by the Counseling Center. Angell Center Amnesty Room.

**8 p.m.** — Chamber Ensembles II Concert, sponsored by the Music Department. Admission is free, however reservations are recommended — call 564-2180. Studio Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**8 p.m.** — El Pueblo weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**9 p.m.** — Greek Council meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**10:15 p.m.** — SA Senate meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

## **Tuesday, Dec. 10**

**11 a.m.-1 p.m.** — Weekly Blood Pressure/Wellness Clinic for all campus employees sponsored by the EAP and Department of Nursing. EAP Office, Kehoe 410.

**12:15 p.m.** — Center for Womyn's Concerns weekly meeting. CWC Office, Angell Center 3rd Floor.

**4:15 p.m.** — Faculty Senate Meeting. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

**6 p.m.** — InterVarsity Bible Study Group. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

**6 p.m.** — Economics Club weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 7.

**7 p.m.** — American Marketing Association weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**7 p.m.** — The Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens, presented by Burdette Parks, sponsored by the College Theatre Association. Tickets: \$1 SA/children, \$3 faculty/staff/senior citizens, \$5 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Hartman Theatre, Myers Fine Arts Building.

**7 p.m.** — The Wellness Series presents "The Art of Meditation," presented by Dr. Carol Shuttleworth, Counseling and Psychological Resource Center. Angell Center Amnesty Room.

**7:30 p.m.** — Club Canada weekly informational meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 4.

**8:45 p.m.** — Environmental Action Committee weekly meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

## **Wednesday, Dec. 11**

**10 a.m.-2 p.m.** — US Army information table. Angell Center Lobby.

**10 a.m.-12 p.m.** — Weekly drop in opportunity for students to meet with Rev. Richard Miller, Protestant Campus Ministry. Angell Center Garden Lounge (2nd floor.)

**4 p.m.** — Men's and Women's Swimming vs. SUNY Potsdam. Memorial Hall.

**7 p.m.** — Admissions Peer Recruitment, open to members only. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**8 p.m.** — Symphonic Band Concert sponsored by the Music Department. Hawkins Hall Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

## **Thursday, Dec. 12**

**11 a.m.-2 p.m.** — Holiday Buffet, sponsored by Marriott. Reservations not available. Angell Center Centennial Room.

**12:10 p.m.** — Women's Studies Forum presents Ms. Denise Burcume, Education Associate for the AIDS Council of Northeastern NY speaking on "Women and the AIDS Epidemic in the United States," sponsored by the Women's Studies Program, with assistance from CAS. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

**4-7 p.m.** — Protestant Campus Ministry weekly walk-in hours. Angell Center Garden Lounge.

**4:30 p.m.** — The Wellness Series presents Mr. Steve Matthews, College Judicial Officer and Ms. Arlene Sabo, Asst. Director of Public Safety speaking on "Sexual Harassment: What Students Need To Know." Angell Center Amnesty Room.

**5 p.m.** — Club Kreol weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 8.

**6:45 p.m.** — InterVarsity Bible Study Group. Angell Center Meeting Room 4.

**7 p.m.** — LGBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room #8.

**7 p.m.** — Medieval Re-enactment weekly club meeting. Angell Center Amnesty Room.

**7 p.m.** — "Ringing Down the Curtain" — featuring some of the best class work of the semester, presented by faculty and students, sponsored by the College Theatre Department. Admission is free. Myers Fine Arts, Studio Theatre.

**7 p.m.** — The College Democrats weekly meeting. Myers FA 232.

**7:30 p.m.** — IMA (Institute of Managerial Accountants) weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**8 p.m.** — Circle K International weekly club meeting. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

## **Friday, Dec. 13**

**4-6 p.m.** — Multicultural Winter Celebration and Reception sponsored by the Multicultural Affairs Committee and Student Organizations. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**4:30 p.m.** — ASPCE weekly meeting. Angell Center Meeting Room 2.

**4:30 p.m.** — AKEBA weekly meeting. Angell Center Conference Room.

**6:30-9:30 p.m.** — Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**7 p.m.** — Men's Basketball vs. Southern Vermont College. Memorial Hall Gymnasium.

**7 p.m.** — Men's Ice Hockey vs. New England College. Stafford Ice Arena, Field House.

**8 p.m.** — The Activities Coordination Board presents Hypnotist Michael Blaine, spon-

sored by the Student Association. Tickets: \$2 SA, \$5 faculty/staff, \$10 public, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. Angell Center Warren Ballrooms.

**8 p.m.** — Coffee House sponsored by the Music Council. Admission is free. Angell Center Centennial Room.

**9 p.m.** — Friday Night at the Movies presents "Leaving Las Vegas," sponsored by Campus Life. Angell Center Flynt Commons.

**10 p.m.** — Stress Relieving Party sponsored by AKEBA and El Pueblo. Angell Center Flynt Commons.

## **Saturday, Dec. 14**

**9 p.m.** — Game Night sponsored by AKEBA. Take a break from studying and stop by. Angell Center Plattsburgh Room.

## **Sunday, Dec. 15**

**9 a.m.** — Holiday Shopping Trip to the Lake George Outlet Center, sponsored by AKEBA. Tickets available from members of AKEBA. Van departs from the Angell Center, Ruger Street pull-off.

**6:45 and 9:15 p.m.** — Sunday Night at the Movies presents "Chain Reaction" sponsored by the Student Association. Tickets: \$1 SA Members, \$2 faculty/staff and movie pass, available at the Angell Center Desk. Hawkins Hall Glenn Giltz Auditorium.

## **Monday, Dec. 16**

**6 p.m.** — InterVarsity Bible Study Group. Angell Center Meeting Room 7.

**9 p.m.** — Greek Council meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

**10:15 p.m.** — SA Senate meeting. Angell Center Cardinal Lounge.

## **Tuesday, Dec. 17**

**11 a.m.-1 p.m.** — Weekly Blood Pressure/Wellness Clinic for all campus employees sponsored by the EAP and Department of Nursing. EAP Office, Kehoe 410.

**6 p.m.** — InterVarsity Bible Study Group. Angell Center Meeting Room 5.

## **Notes**

The Fall 1996 Final Exam Schedule is now set and is posted outside the Registrar's Office on the third floor of the Kehoe Administration Building. It will also be published in *Cardinal Points*.

The Bus to Montreal is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 7, 9 am - 6 pm. Tickets are \$10 round trip, on sale at the Angell Center Desk. The bus departs from the Angell Center, Ruger Street pull-off and travels to Dorchester Square.